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EIGHT PAGES.

British Begin a New Drive; Gain Ground in North

Third Successive Monday Since Allied Offensive Began Sees English Taking Up Brunt of Fighting; General Haig Reports Satisfactory Progress Since Onset Began; Old Positions Consolidated and Guns Brought Up.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

LONDON, April 23.—After a week's lull, during which they have been busy consolidating the gains of the first week's offensive and bringing up their guns, the British at dawn this morning began another phase of their operation against the formidable German defenses on the front in northern France. General Haig reports that the forces under his command attacked on a wide front on both sides of the river Scarpe, where a portion of the Hindenburg line forms a barrier defending Cambrai, and that they are making satisfactory progress.

Further south British troops captured the remainder of the village of Frescault and occupied the greater part of Havincourt wood which formed a two mile bulge in their line. From this point to St. Quentin the line approaches very closely the Canal-St. Quentin road and canal.

The correspondents at the front have prepared the public for the renewal of the more active operation which have entered new phase with each succeeding Monday. The British began their great offensive on Monday a fortnight ago and the French followed this with their stroke along the Aisne a week ago. The third Monday finds the British again on the move. A success along the Scarpe not only would threaten the new German line but would further outflank Lens on the south.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

A pall of silence has fallen over the Central Empires, serving to accentuate the reports of grave internal troubles. In spite of the assertions of the German press that the great Berlin strike, which involved at least 300,000 workers, is over, there is evidence that the agitation is continuing. The Berlin Tagblatt admits that the members of two of the munition workers' unions have refused to return to work and says that those who persist in their refusal will be called to the colors.

The meagre light which sifts through the veil of the German censorship disappears entirely in the case of Austria. Following persistent reports that Count Tiesi, premier of Hungary and foremost exponent in the dual monarchy of the German idea, had resigned all information as to conditions in Vienna or Budapest ceases. The one thing that appears certain is that the Socialists and Radicals in both empires have recently drawn much closer together and that inflammatory language is being used with an impunity inconceivable in the earlier days of the war.

In the meantime the revolutionary spirit which is rampant throughout Europe has given a sensational demonstration in Sweden. The food situation is obviously the cause of the remarkable event in Stockholm, where a great multitude of workers tried to force their way in to the Parliament building. The fact that there were unobstructed shouts for a republic and that the ominous word "revolution" was freely used, gives another aspect to the affair. The royal caste is under guard and more serious outbreaks are predicted for May 1.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF TURKEY'S BREAK RECEIVED

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Official notification of the Turkish government breaking with the United States was received today by the State Department in a dispatch from American Minister Storval at Bern, Switzerland.

The communication came from C. Corneil Tarler, secretary of the American legation at Constantinople, acting for Ambassador Elkus, who is ill. It was sent to the American legation at Bern and forwarded from there.

BRITISH CAPTURE CAYELLE; 1,000 PRISONERS TAKEN

LONDON, April 23.—The British have captured the town of Cayelle, the last part of the defenses of the Hindenburg line north of the Scarpe, and have also taken the village of Guenappe of the Scarpe. More than 1,000 prisoners have been taken today.

BRITISH HOLD MONCHY DESPITE FIERCE ATTACKS

FRANCE, April 23.—The first phase of the battle of Arras which began Easter Monday ended with the British

WIN TO \$100,000,000.
MARSHALL FIELD 3D
WILL BE A PRIVATE



ROX HIDES BOMB

Four Injured When Package of Cigars Proves to Be Infernal Machine.

YORK, Pa., April 23.—Four persons were injured here today by the explosion of what was supposed to be a box of cigars but which proved to be an infernal machine.

Wade McCune, former deputy philanthropist of York county, and Charles H. Still, a young attorney, who lives with the McCune family, are in the hospital. Still is in a critical condition. McCune and his wife and daughter are suffering from burns. The package was found in front of the house and was addressed "To Charles from Bill." The box evidently contained black powder, and there was a flame which enveloped all parties when the box was opened.

LOVES CRUTCHES.

Pat Nolan Unable to Get Out of Lock-up When Time Is Up.

Losing his means of locomotion, Pat Nolan, whose confinement sentence expired Saturday, was unable to get out of the lock-up until this morning, when a man at his boarding house brought a pair of crutches to the lock-up for him, and released him from bondage.

Pat has an artificial leg, which was broken just before he was arrested Thursday night. He lay in the lock-up until this morning when he told Chief Rottler about the case. The chief suggested crutches or old brooms, but Pat insisted on crutches and finally obtained them.

LAND REGAINED.

Railroad Enjoyed from Disposing of Government Timber.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In deciding the Oregon-California land case today, the Supreme Court affirmed the Oregon federal court decision enjoining the Southern Pacific railroad from disposing of timber and mines on its land received by Congressional grant. By the same decision the government won its suit against the Southern Pacific railroad to regain nearly 3,400,000 acres of Oregon and Washington land worth \$19,000,000.

MISS MANK RESIGNS.

Miss Camilla Mank, secretary to Superintendent S. P. Asha, has resigned to accept a "Civil Service position as stenographer in the Agricultural Department at Washington, D. C. Her resignation will take effect May 1.

Bryan Visits Balfour.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—W. J. Bryan paid a visit of courtesy to British Foreign Minister Balfour and then left for a tour of the far west to help spread the Department of Agriculture's appeal for increased food production.

WHY MEET HERE.

The Chief W. E. DeBolt attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association at Vandergrift on Saturday evening. The committee will meet in Connellsville on May 19.

PHI IS \$50.

T. C. Lancaster paid a \$50 fine Saturday afternoon after a special police court hearing. Serious charges of disorderly conduct had been made against him by several little girls. West Side residents were witnesses.

HOW TO MAKE THE BEST USE OF BACK YARD GARDEN SPACE.

With the co-operation of experts, who volunteered their aid, the Committee of Public Safety has just issued a small garden guide for amateur farmers. Strawberries, golden glow and similar trimmings are eliminated, the effort being to show how the utmost food-crop values can be secured from a small plot of ground.

Things to be avoided and how one planting can be followed by another, are features of the bulletin. It also explains in detail what was actually accomplished by one family of eight who were fully supplied with fresh vegetables from a garden 60x30 feet. A descriptive chart of this garden, showing what was planted and the arrangement of the various plants, is included in this bulletin. It will be sent free to anyone by the Committee of Public Safety, Finance building, Philadelphia.

BALFOUR HOLDS CONFERENCE WITH LANSING TODAY

British Ambassador Pays Formal Visit to State Department Head.

COMMISSION MAKES CALL

After Being Taken to Secretary Lansing's Office by U. L. Gibson, Special Aide From State Department, Balfour Enters Secret Conference.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 23.—British Ambassador Balfour and members of the high commission here to discuss conduct of the war began their first official day in Washington with a round of calls, the first of which was at the State Department.

Soon after 10:30 o'clock Mr. Balfour accompanied by the British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring Rice, drove from the mansion which has been given over to the State Department building and paid a formal call on Secretary Lansing.

The British ambassador and U. L. Gibson of the State Department, who has been detailed as Mr. Balfour's aide, remained with Secretary Lansing and the British foreign minister only a short time and then withdrew leaving the two high officials together. They at once plunged into a conference.

The conference between Mr. Balfour and Mr. Lansing was not prolonged and at its conclusion, the two men left the building for the White House, where the British foreign minister was received by President Wilson. As he left the State Department building, several hundred employees crowding the stairways and corridors cheered and applauded. He acknowledged the greeting by bowing and smiling.

Just before 11 o'clock they passed the main entrance of the executive mansion where President Wilson, surrounded by a party of army and navy aides, was waiting.

While Mr. Balfour and Mr. Lansing were at the White House the naval officers of the British party, headed by Admiral DeChair, began arriving to call upon Secretary Daniels. They were accompanied by Admiral Fletcher and other officers assigned to the party. As Mr. Balfour passed into the White House, the "silent sentinels" of the suffragists waved their banners, and the British foreign minister smiled broadly. The army officers of the British mission at the same time were arriving at the War Department to be received by Secretary Baker. Major General G. T. M. Bridges, accompanied by his aides, were escorted first to the office of Major General Scott, chief of staff, where they were received by a large party of American officers, including Generals Bliss, McClain, McIntyre, Crozier, Weaver, and others. A large number of officers of lower rank also were present. The British officers were attired in field uniforms of khaki, while the American officers were in full dress uniforms of blue. After General Scott had introduced the American officers all the visitors were received by Secretary Baker.

The naval delegation meanwhile had been received by Admiral Benson. Continued on Page Two.

Weather Forecast

Threatening this afternoon; fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler in south tonight, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.
1917 1916
Maximum — 74 61
Minimum — 41 41
Mean — 57 52
The Yough river fell from 2.10 to 2.30 feet during the night.

OFFERS OF FREE LOTS ACCEPTED

Applicants Already Received by John Duggan Though No Land Has Been Allotted.

The offer of free lots for gardening purposes is being taken advantage of by several persons on the West Side. Applications have been made to John Duggan for use of his vacant property. No applications have been made as yet to Robert Norris, as he has been away from the city for several days and could not be seen.

Mr. Duggan has not assigned any of the lots yet but intends to do so this week. He will take the applicants over the ground and they will have choice of any of the lots. One man who applied wanted several of the lots all of which were to be cultivated and the crops sold in the fall. His application was turned down as Mr. Duggan does not intend to let out his lots for speculative purposes. He said this morning he was willing to give them to the needy, or to a community gardening project.

Other offers of property owners to allow their ground to be cultivated are still coming in. John Hietzel is the latest to offer his ground.

In a case where gardens not too far out of the city are taken up by city applicants, Bernard O'Connor has offered to plow them free of charge. His terms are all working but he is willing to turn them over to the "cause" for a day.

The interest which is being taken in gardens throughout the city region is spreading. Hardware men are making more sales of gardening utensils this spring than any previous year. Many citizens who have not wielded a hoe for years are turning over the soil in their rear lots.

ASSUMES NEW DUTIES

J. C. McCormick Goes Up in Railroad Service.

John C. McCormick, chief clerk to the coal billing agent in the Connellsville office of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, assumed his new duties as chief clerk to W. H. Mason, commercial freight agent, at Uniontown, this morning.

This merited promotion, which comes as the reward of eight years faithful and efficient service at the scales office and four years at the freight office, places Chief Clerk McCormick in line for further advancement. J. H. Strawn, night weighmaster, takes the place formerly filled by Mr. McCormick, and Ray Morrison becomes night weighmaster in place of Mr. Strawn.

OPPOSE SUNDAY SHOWS.

Ministerial Association Will Enter Protest With Council.

A number of Connellsville churches having taken action against the opening of motion picture theatres on Sunday for any purpose, the Ministerial Association as a whole has decided to send a committee to council to make a protest. This will consist of Rev. E. B. Burgess, Rev. J. S. Showers and Rev. C. L. Wagner.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics and Knights of Malta have also taken action disapproving of Sunday shows.

REAL ESTATE SOLD.

Jizzi Buys McPartland Property; Frankford Takes Morris Home.

The property of Michael McPartland on Murphy avenue has been sold to Victor Jizzi, clerk of the Foreign Department of the First National Bank.

J. W. Frankford, a Baltimore & Ohio conductor, has purchased the property of William Morris in East Patterson avenue. The deals were made through the Dorsey Realty Company. The considerations were not made known.

Wants No War Talk.

A sign reading "War talk not allowed. If you want to discuss the war question, go outside," has been posted in the office of Alderman Fred Munk.

70 ITALIANS HOLDING BIG PATRIOTIC RALLY IN PERIL WHEN BUILDING IS BLOWN UP

What is thought by Mount Pleasant authorities to have been an attempt on the part of German or Austrian sympathizers to discourage Italians at that place from espousing the American cause, was made Saturday night when a bomb or charge of dynamite was exploded under the home of the Mrs. S. S. Dell'Assunta, just after the Italians had held a patriotic rally. A section of the wall was blown in and the steps of the building were smashed to bits.

When the explosion occurred there were about 70 persons in the building. None of these was injured, but if the charge had been better placed, there might have been many fatalities.

Early in the evening, the lodge, represented by about 150 members, held a parade, with about the same number of loyal Italians in line. A large banner bearing the words, "America is Good Enough for Me; If it is Good Enough for You, Fall In!" was carried at the head of the parade. Two bands, Scottish and Mount Pleasant, played along the line of march.

COMPANY D NEEDS 20 MORE MEN AT ONCE; APPLICANTS WILL BE EXAMINED TONIGHT

Discharge of Married Men Leaves Company Badly Depleted and Captain R. S. Morton Issues First Call for Recruits; Order of War Department Requires Married Men to Make Application for Discharges.

MEMBERS DO NOT EXPECT TO DO POLICE DUTY

Company D, Tenth Regiment, N. G. P., needs 20 men at once. To enlist: the local guard company to 100 men—the maximum strength until President Wilson authorizes the increase to full war strength of 150 men—and fill the depleted ranks after the men with dependents have been discharged, Captain R. S. Morton has issued a call for 20 recruits.

The advantages of enlisting with Company D, as pointed out by officers of the company, are manifold. It will be much more satisfactory to a recruit, they contend, to join a body already officered, organized and equipped, than to wait for a possible call for volunteers, where there will be no organization, and much delay in securing recognition and equipment.

Captain R. S. Morton states: "There is nothing to indicate now at just what time this organization will be called to the colors. But inasmuch as the full quota of men for police duty has been provided for, it is thought that more congenial duty will be the lot of the local boys when they are called." Present members of Company D expect to see service either at the Mexican border or in Panama, though there is no official ground for these expectations.

Orders from the war department authorizing the discharge of the men having dependents have been received here. "The men desiring discharge must make application, in writing, stating their circumstances fully, under this order. The company commander is required to investigate the circumstances, and make recommendation to the adjutant general of the state for such men as are eligible. So far, but one application from a Company D member has been filed, but more are expected.

With the examination tonight, it is thought that sufficient Connellsville men will turn out at once, and that no additional efforts will be necessary to secure the requisite number of recruits. Those accepted now will be members of the company only during the length of the war, and discharges will be given all who enlist at this time when the war is over.

DUNBAR HOME GUARDS

TO ORGANIZE TONIGHT

A meeting of all who have enrolled as members of the Dunbar home guards will be held at the office of J. R. Foltz in Woodvale street this evening at 7:45 o'clock. The company will at this time be formally organized, and Chairman Martin B. Pope earnestly requests a large turnout.

The election of the following officers will take place: Captain, first and second lieutenants, surgeon, chaplain and company clerk. An executive committee will also be chosen. The Foltz drum corps will turn out for the occasion.

Any men between the ages of 16 and 50 years who have not yet enrolled and desire to do so, will be given an opportunity at this meeting. Buttons with the inscription: "I have enrolled. Have You?" are given to those joining the company.

The plan is to have the officers chosen tonight call for drill sessions, which will likely be held twice a week.

The beautiful flag was then produced and hailed by the mast by Miss Martha Tibbets and Miss Margaret Carson of the Connellsville offices of the West Penn. As it reached the top of the mast, the men broke into cheering which lasted several minutes. The whistle of a locomotive, standing conveniently near during the ceremonies, blew 21 blasts as a salute to the flag.

A flag was also raised at the West Penn car barn here Saturday afternoon. Master Mechanic S. J. Witt made a brief speech and the flag was hoisted to the top of the staff without further ceremony.

HETZEL LAND FREE FOR GARDEN PLANTING.

Another land owner who is willing to permit the farming of his vacant lots to increase the production of food is John T. Hetzel of West Crawford avenue. Mr. Hetzel announced this morning that he had 25 or 30 lots in Greenwood which he offers to the public.

Applications of persons desiring to plant food crops on the lots, will be considered by Mr. Hetzel in the order of their presentation.

LYNCH OFFERS PRIZES TO TOWNSHIP BOYS

Clay F. Lynch, general manager of the H. C. Fricke Coke company, has made the same offer to the boys of Dunbar township high school as that to the boys of the Connellsville high school, announced Saturday. He will give three cash prizes, aggregating \$150, to the boys who produce the largest number of bushels of potatoes this year. Prof. R. K. Smith, supervising principal of the Dunbar township high schools, presented the matter this morning to the boy students and a special effort will be made to have them enter the contest.

Preceding Professor Smith's announcement C. B. Franks, a member of the school board, who recently was appointed a member of the Safety Committee by the governor, addressed the high school, giving an account of the work as outlined by the governor. Mr. Franks advocated the planting of many vegetables. The students were greatly interested in the talk, paying the closest attention throughout Mr. Franks' address.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

"Limeing Land" was discussed at a well attended meeting of the Union Farmers Club of Fayette County, held Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downs near Leisening. "How Shall We Use Lime?" and "Will It Pay to Use It at the Present Prices?" were interestingly discussed. The program was interspersed with readings. At noon an elaborate dinner was served by Mrs. Downs. The next meeting will be held at the home of the Misses Junk near Uniontown. "Weeds," will be discussed.

The Young Ladies Mission Guild of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow evening in the church.

Miss Mary Wilson will entertain the C. L. Girls club Friday night at her home at Dunbar.

Mrs. C. P. Hall will entertain the M. E. C. Fancywork club Thursday evening at her home in Vine street.

A service in honor of the Cradle Roll of the First Presbyterian church will be held next Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. J. L. Proudfoot will preach about the child. Mothers are requested to come and bring their little ones.

The Baraca class of the First Baptist Sunday school has offered a prize of \$2.50 to the young woman's class having the largest number of members present at the 100th annual and mock wedding to be held Friday night in the church. The prize of admission for the women will be a pie.

The Junior Organized Bible class of the First Presbyterian church will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock in the church.

Misses Ella Cunningham, Catherine O'Connor, Margaret Harrison, Anna Laffey, Rose Snyder, and Anna Lowmy attended the installation of Court Seton, Daughters of Isabella, yesterday afternoon in Greensburg. Fifty members were initiated, the exercises taking place in Odd Fellows hall. Refreshments were served.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Women's Suffrage Party was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. O. Schoonover in Will's road. Mrs. James Minnie presided and Mrs. R. E. Grubel of Uniontown and Miss Beatrice Gordon-Smith, a state organizer, were the principal speakers. Mrs. Grubel spoke of a suffrage conference she attended in Harrisburg and of her two weeks' stay at the suffrage headquarters in Washington, D. C. Miss Beatrice Gordon-Smith gave a most interesting talk along the line of active civic work, which the suffragists are planning to take up. Music was furnished by Miss Elizabeth May Brown and Miss Pearl Keck. The meeting was the regular monthly one and was in the form of a tea.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday night at the home of Mrs. John Keck in East Fairview avenue.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Philip Freemason Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held Saturday afternoon at the Armory, the nominating committee composed of Mrs. T. L. Keith, Mrs. J. A. Lyon, and Mrs. Nettie Lee, the latter of Scottsdale, submitted the following list of officers to serve for the ensuing year: Regent, Miss Clara Fitchburg; First vice regent, Mrs. J. A. Lyon; second vice regent, Mrs. Blanche Rice; third vice regent, Mrs. Nettie Lee; fourth vice regent, Mrs. J. A. Guller; recording secretary, Miss Mary Thomas; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. E. Wilson of Dunbar; treasurer, Mrs. Lydia Percy; register, Mrs. J. S. Bryner; and historian, Mrs. Emma R. Beck. The election will take place at the next regular meeting to be held Saturday afternoon, May 19.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Buckner, Mrs. Jean Davidson and son, Thomas Davidson, will motor to Baltimore, W. Va., Friday to attend the "Men and Millions" movement of the Christian church.

Meetings of the four sections of the Women's Union of the Christian church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock as follows: Section No. 1, Mrs. Mary Brashers, South Fifth street, West Side; section No. 2, Mrs. Peter Coughenour, East Murphy avenue, section No. 3, in the church; section No. 4, Mrs. D. B. Brooks, South Pittsburg street.

Mrs. J. L. Gans, Miss Katharine Frisbee, Miss Anne White and Fred Frisbee attended a Red Cross rally held yesterday afternoon in the Central Christian Church in Uniontown. Dr. Katharine Wakefield and Miss Sarah Seaton attended the rally held in the Penn Theatre, Uniontown. The rally was held under the auspices of the D. M. Bierer Bible Club and the Uniontown Chapter of the American Red Cross. E. W. Corn of New York

Getting Johnnie Off to School and husband off to business are problems that tax the nerves and strength of the housewife who runs her own home. So easy and delightful if you know **Shredded Wheat Biscuit**, the ready-cooked, ready-to-eat whole wheat food. Children like its delicious, crisp aroma when served with hot milk.



Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

City, representing the Atlantic Division of the American Red Cross, was the principal speaker.

PERSONAL.
Solomon Theatre today—"The Inspiration of Harry Larrabee," 4 reels. "The Voice or the Wire," No. 6, 2 reels. Tomorrow, Shirley Mason in "The Law of the North," 5 reels.—Adv.

Mrs. J. P. Hartsock of McKeesport, returned home after two weeks spent as the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. J. Ritchie of Fourth avenue, Scottsdale.

C. P. Critchfield, Sr., of Columbus, O., is spending a few days at his home on East Apple street.

A pure wool, latest style, Spring suit of the handsome new fabrics for \$20 to \$25. Can you beat it? Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Foster Critchfield and Eugene Lucius were in Rockwood Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. F. Rice and two sons and daughter, Miss Mary Will Woodward and Miss Ruth Stillwagon, who spent the winter in St. Petersburg, Tampa, Orlinda and Jacksonville, Fla., will arrive home next week.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see P. T. Evans.—Adv.—It.

Harry Griffin of McKeesport, a former well known resident of Connelville, is visiting friends in town today.

Miss Carrie McGee of Shamrock, is the guest of her grandparents, Colonel and Mrs. James J. Barnhart of Sunny Side.

"Not the largest store in town, but growing the fastest." Why? Service, style, satisfaction. Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.—It.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schenck and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Crowley motored to Uniontown yesterday.

Milton Bishop was a Scottsdale caller last evening.

Freeman Hite of Hyndman, was a caller here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McKee motored to Uniontown yesterday.

Watch out for "The Mysterious Woman." A mysterious woman will be in Connelville from April 28 to May 5.—Adv.—2-1-1

Misses Margaret and Gale Hilton of Scottsdale, were in town yesterday.

Homor Moser was a Uniontown caller yesterday.

Byron Alter was calling on friends in Scottsdale yesterday.

Misses Catherine and Mary Louise Ruth of Washington, D. C., who were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. W. O. Foley of East Crawford avenue, have gone to Atlantic City. Miss Emily Ruth remained for a longer visit at the Foley home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader and son, Leo, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stader motored to St. Xavier's academy at Bally yesterday morning after Miss Angela Stader, who spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader, returning to school last evening.

Lawrence Munk of Homestead, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Munk of North Pittsburg street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hankins and son, Robert, of Royal, motored to Adelphi yesterday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mason.

Miss Dora Daniels and Miss Anna Gelsa of Greensburg, were the guests of Miss Eva Rosenberg of East Fairview avenue yesterday.

Miss Birdella of Washington, D. C., returned home yesterday afternoon after a visit with friends and relatives here.

John Lindsay and daughter, Miss Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lindsay and son Edward, went to Wilkensburg this morning to attend the funeral of James Lindsay, a brother of John Lindsay.

A. A. Corristan of Ohio, motored to Adelphi yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Bittner of South Ark street went to McKeesport this morning.

SALE OF WOMEN'S DRESSES
\$20.00 Dresses at \$14.95
\$25.00 Dresses at \$19.75
\$27.50 Dresses at \$22.50

THE E. DUNN STORE
The HOME of QUALITY and SERVICE
129 to 133 N PITTSBURG ST CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

81x90 inch Sheets at 75c
36x42 inch Pillow Cases, pair 25c
72x90 inch Sheets at 55c
Dark colors of Percale at, yard, 11 1/2c

Our Entire Line of Women's Tailored and Sport Suits
About 50 in all, values to \$30.00, at.....



Our Display of Millinery is
Now at Its Height

Gay colored Sallors, droop brims and high crown hats—the new black and white unadorned Hats—Gage and Flak models; trimming of ribbon, noifs, foliage and feathers. Any shape, color or build that the most exacting woman might desire is here. Prices begin at \$2.95 and in easy stages to \$1.95, \$5.95, \$7.50 to \$10.00, on up to \$40.00.

MOST IN STYLE—MOST IN QUALITY
MOST IN VALUE.

In Connelville it means getting a DUNN Suit. This store consistently supplies apparel of strictest style-correctness, measuring up to the highest standard of fabrics and tailoring excellence. And DUNN Value always means a dollar-for-dollar money's worth, no matter what the amount you pay.

And so, in these Suits at values from \$22.50 to \$30.00, at \$18.95, you get value and style not obtainable elsewhere, and at a substantial saving.

Connelville's Oldest Department Store, Established 1873.

Untrimmed Hat Shapes
\$1.50 to \$10.00

Bangkok, Milan, Leghorn, Hair-braid, Panama, Wenchow, and various minor-brands. Second floor.

Children's Hats 50c up to \$7.50
An unlimited assortment of shapes and trimming effects in ribbon, silk motifs and foliage. These shown in Infants' Department—first floor.

SILK SWEATERS WERE
NEVER SO BEAUTIFUL.



QUITE THE THING.

Green and white stripes, with a solid color for collar and cuffs, this handsome sweater speaks for itself. The sport hat is entirely of military braid held on by French knots, with a flat bow of the braid in front.

friends in Vanderbilts yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth McCusker of the West Side was the guest of friends in Uniontown yesterday.

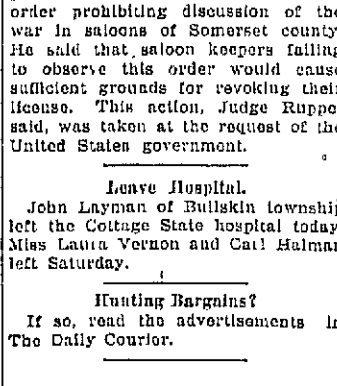
Miss Frances Duffy was the guest of Miss Lilburn Reed of Vanderbilts yesterday.

Plead Guilty.
SOMERSET, Apr. 23.—Frederick Cox and D. W. Walter this morning plead guilty in the Somerset county courts of robbing Baltimore & Ohio freight cars at Confluence, taking whiskey, drygoods, meats and medicine. The information was made by Captain E. F. Ludwig of the Baltimore & Ohio police force with headquarters in Connelville. Cox and Walter were sentenced to not less than two years and not more than three years to the penitentiary.

Prohibits War Talk.
SOMERSET, April 23.—Judge Ruppel today at noon handed down an order prohibiting discussion of the war in saloons of Somerset county. He said that saloon keepers failing to observe this order would cause sufficient grounds for revoking their license. This action, Judge Ruppel said, was taken at the request of the United States government.

Leave Hospital.
John Layman of Bullskin township left the Cottage State hospital today. Miss Laura Vernon and Carl Halman left Saturday.

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read the advertisements in The Daily Courier.



SHE HAD.
"Have you ever done any deep-sea fishing?"
"Well, I became engaged on an ocean liner."

BALFOUR HOLDS

CONFERENCE WITH

LANSING TODAY

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and left ends for Assistant Secretary Roosevelt who was out of the city. After a brief visit at the capitol, Mr. Balfour drove to the French embassy to be entertained at luncheon by the French Ambassador, Jules Jusserand.

As the party was leaving the White House grounds a wild west show parade was passing with a college-sounding "God Save the King," and the "Marsellais." Somebody in the crowd proposed three cheers for Mr. Balfour and the crowd roared a response willingly, while the British minister smiled and bowed.

DESIGN APPARATUS TO
COMBAT POISON GASES.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Experts of the Bureau of Mines are designing an apparatus to combat noxious gases which it is declared promises to be superior to any now in use in Europe. Details of the invention are being withheld for obvious reasons.

Announcement that the bureau's experts are at work on the design was made today in connection with a report which is being rushed to completion in response to inquiries from the War and Navy departments for information as to the best types of apparatus to be used in combating noxious gases.

Bureau experts declare wearing the present type of oxygen rescue apparatus involves great danger owing to the fact that the makers have failed to meet certain mechanical and psychological needs in construction. They point out these dangers and suggest ways in which they may be overcome.

ARRANGE DETAILS OF
NATIONAL BOND ISSUE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Treasury Department officials today began a series of conferences with representatives of financial institutions interested in the forthcoming \$5,000,000,000 bond issue. Secretary McAdoo, Governor Harding of the federal reserve board, and other officials conferred with a delegation of investment bankers and representatives of New York bond houses in regard to details.

AMERICAN EXPORTS REACH
HIGH VALUE, DESPITE L-BOATS

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Despite the German submarine campaign, American exports in March reached a value of \$551,278,000, which has been exceeded only once, last January, the best month in the country's history. Imports of \$279,810,000 set a new American record.

WILL FINANCE

BOY FARMERS

Yough Trust Company Offers to Provide Loans Without Interest to Food Planters.

Offering to advance to any high school boy who plans to enter the contest for the Clay Lynch prizes for the highest yields of potatoes from city lots, the money necessary for seed, for plowing the ground, and other preliminary expenses, E. R. Floto of the Yough Trust Company has addressed a letter to Superintendent of Public Schools S. P. Ashe in which he urges the boys to engage in "this patriotic and business proposition."

The company, Mr. Floto announces, will furnish the money to boys who may not have the funds to start their enterprise, the sum advanced to be repaid, without interest, when the crop is harvested in the fall. Principal B. B. Smith of high school has figured that it will take about \$15 for each boy to provide for preliminary expenses.

The letter from Mr. Floto follows:

"Dear Sir:—
"Referring to the very generous prizes offered by Mr. Clay Lynch to the high school boys in the potato raising contest, it occurs to me that some of the boys may not have the funds to provide the seed, fertilizer, etc., to start their enterprises."

"The company offers to advance to any boy not having the funds a sufficient amount of the funds to pay for the seed and fertilizer required for the planting; the money without interest to be repaid when the crop is harvested in the fall."

"Trusting that a great many of the boys will engage in this patriotic and business proposition, I am

E. R. Floto

Patriotism and the Savings Idea.

While you may not be able to enlist in the Government Service; yet you can show your patriotism by saving your money and depositing it with The Citizens National Bank of Connelville, which is a Member of the Federal Reserve System. The deposits of this Bank are under United States Government Supervision and the Bank managed by a Strong Board of Directors. The Government will protect your Savings. 138 Pittsburg St.—Adv.

Laundry Drug Co. Removal.

We are open for business with the exception of fountain service at our new location, 112 South Pittsburg street. Our formal opening will be announced later.—Adv.—20-It.

Repair Old Switch.

The West Penn track force is repairing the switch on West Crawford avenue this morning. A new piece of track is being put in.

Protect Yourself!
Get the Round Package Used for 1/2 Century.
Ask For and GET
HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK
Made from clean, rich milk with the extract of select malted grain, malted in our own Malt Houses under sanitary conditions. Infants and children thrive on it. Agrees with the weakest stomach of the invalid or the aged. Needs no cooking nor addition of milk.
Nourishes and sustains more than tea, coffee, etc. Should be kept at home or when traveling. A nutritious food-drink may be prepared in a moment. A glassful hot before retiring induces refreshing sleep. Also a lunch table form for business men.
Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price
Take a Package Home

The Grim Reaper

ALLEN F. COOPER.

The funeral of Allen F. Cooper will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence, No. 83 Pennsylvania avenue, Uniontown. Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Jr., pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, assisted by Rev. J. S. Bromley, pastor of the Great Bethel Baptist church, will officiate. Interment in Oak Grove cemetery. The active pallbearers will be Senator William E. Crow, E. S. Mackey, Ron. R. F. Hopwood, Dr. J. W. Parrish, C. S. Hinch, William H. Binne, George R. Scroggins and Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen. The honorary pallbearers are Judge E. H. Reppert, Judge J. C. Work, M. M. Cochran, A. P. Austin, John M. Core, Lee Smith, D. M. Hartzog, Hon. E. F. Acheson of Washington, Pa.; James A. Campbell of Youngstown, O.; A. C. Robinson and A. R. Hamilton of Pittsburgh, and Edward T. Hitehman of Wheeling, W. Va.

At a special meeting of the Fayette County Bar association this afternoon a solemn tribute to the memory of Allen F. Cooper, who was a member of the association, was paid. It was decided to attend the funeral in a body. Out of respect for Mr. Cooper the Fayette county court house will be closed between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

THOMAS NICHOLSON.

The funeral of Thomas Nicholson took place this morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Catherine Donovan at Leisening No. 1 and at 9 o'clock from St. Vincent de Paul's church at Leisening. Requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father J. J. Gieney in the presence of many relatives and friends of the deceased. James Burns, Charles McIntyre, Robert Carroll, Hugh Logan, John Conway and Philip Meegan, Jr., served as pallbearers. Interment in St. Vincent de Paul's cemetery.

LOUIS RENZI.

The body of Louis Renzi, who died in the Uniontown hospital, was brought to Connelville Saturday afternoon and removed by Funeral Director J. L. Stader to the Renzi home in Limestone hill. Services were held yesterday afternoon from St. Rita's Italian Catholic church in the West Side, the large auditorium being filled to its utmost capacity. An Italian organization, to which the deceased belonged, attended in a body. There were 21 cabs in the funeral cortege. The Italian band headed the procession. Rev. Father Henry DeVito conducted the services. Interment in the new St. Joseph's cemetery.

BARTHOLOMEW COSTELLO.

The funeral of Bartholomew Costello was held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception Church, requiem high mass being celebrated by Rev. Father John T. Burns. Many relatives and friends of the deceased attended. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery. The pallbearers were Joseph Christie, Martin Alt, Frank Friel, J. D. Madigan, Peter King and Martin King.

STEVE PINKER.

The body of Steve Pinker, who died at his home at Westfield, will arrive here tomorrow morning on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie train and will be removed by Funeral Director J. L. Stader to St. Emory's Hungarian Church for services.

EDWARD Y. WHITE.

The body of Edward Y. White arrived here Saturday morning from Detroit, Mich., and was removed by Funeral Director J. E. Sims to the Methodist Protestant Church, where services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Lamberton, the pastor. A number of relatives and friends of the deceased including about 11 Civil War veterans, attended. Interment in Hill Grove

cemetery. Among the out of town persons attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Vannatta of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Mary Trader of Scottsdale; Bass White of Gary, Ind.; Miss Margaret White of Uniontown; Mrs. John Henry White and daughter, Miss Helen o Mount Pleasant.

NO INSURANCE RAISE

Price of Fire Insurance Not Advanced. Say Agents.

Reports of a general raise in the price of fire insurance were denied by Connelville agents this morning. "There has been no 50 or 100 per cent raise," one representative declared, "or, in fact, any general raise at all. There has been no increase in the residential sections of Connelville for two or three years. In the business sections the only increases have been for specific reasons, for occurrences which increase the fire risk."

"The removal of a man from the residential district into the business zone is about the only thing that would double his insurance rate."

Incidentally, rates for the business section will drop, the agents say, when a fire station is established on the East Side.

FIVE SHOTS FIRED

Boys Suspected of Using Gun Under East Park Bridge.

The firing of five shots near the East Park Addition bridge early Saturday evening is being investigated by the police. It is believed that boys were to blame for the noise.

People hearing the reports thought that the guardsmen at the West Yough bridge were firing at some one, as on Friday night, when they shot to scare a man who was prowling around with a flashlight. Investigation showed, however, that the shots had come from another section of the city. The reports were very clear.

BROAD FORD ROAD OPEN

Route to Scottdale Is Now Almost Completed.

The Broad Ford-Morgan road through to Scottdale has been opened for traffic and a number of automobilists used that route yesterday for the first time in months. The road is not completely finished but for several miles it is in fine condition.

Beyond Morgan the road bed is not finished yet, requiring more rolling and another coating of macadam for the top. Aside from this mile of slag road, the condition of the route is good.

EARLY BATHING.

Men and Boys Disport in the Yough On Sunday.

Speaking of signs of Summer, a number of men and boys disported in the waters of the Yough river at the mill race on the West Side yesterday afternoon.

Although it was a quite warm day the river is still cold and it took pretty warm-blooded persons to enjoy a dip so early in the season.

Licensed to Wed.

Fred Farry McElhany of South Connelville, and C. Margaret Addis of Connelville; Francesco Testa and Elvira Pezzoli, Domenick Caruso and Mary A. Dyle, all of Connelville, were granted marriage licenses in Uniontown Saturday.

In the Spring time you clean house;

the stomach, and bowels need cleaning just as badly after the long indoor life of Winter, heavy foods, lack of vegetables and fruits.—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will clean and purify. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Connelville Drug Company.—Adv.

Hunting Bargains!

If so, it will pay you to read our advertising columns.

AN EXPERT ON COLDS

Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness. To treat a cold with weakening physics, alcoholic syrups or drugged pills, may smother the cold but they also reduce the body powers still further and invite more serious sickness.

Scott's Emulsion has always been an expert on colds, because it peculiarly enriches the blood, quickly tones up the forces and strengthens both throat and chest. Try Scott's. Refuse Substitutes. Scott & Bower, Bloomfield, N. J. 10-7

At the Theatres.

MARIE DORO
"CASTLES FOR TWO"
LAWYER-PARAMOUNT

THE PARAMOUNT.

"THE FORTAL SIN"—A five reel Metro attraction powerful interest and the "Test of Death," the fifteenth chapter of "The Great Secret," with Francis Z. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in the leading roles, are today's attractions. In "The Mortal Sin," Viola Dana, who is cast as the wife of a poor author, is given a wonderful opportunity to display her dramatic ability. The story tells of a poor clerk in a publishing house who is writing a novel. He becomes ill and is wife takes his job. The publisher covets the girl, and she, in order to obtain funds to insure her husband's health, listens to the publisher's proposal. Returning from the

MOISSON THEATRE.

"THE INSPIRATIONS OF HARRY LARRABEE"—A four reel story of a young play writer in love with a girl who paints miniatures. She owns some valuable jewels which she inherited from her mother and which are coveted by the husband of her companion. He, a famous criminal, comes to their room and chloroforms her, taking the jewels and throwing them into the dumb-waiter shaft to his confederate, and by great good luck Harry gets them. He finds her apparently dead from suffocation but the famous publisher is used to bring her to life. The fight which ends in the death of "The Wolf," a famous crook furnishes endless thrills and excitement. "The Voice on the Wire," No. 4 featuring Ben Wilson and Nora Gerber. In this episode John Siffert is incapable of protecting the latest victim of the "Voice on the Wire." "The Polly," with whom he has fallen in love, is abducted and the rest of the chapter is occupied with the chase for her and the criminals. Tuesday, evening Shirley Mason appears in the new reel drama, "The Law of the North." Corporal Emerson of the Royal Mounted and Reginald Annesley are rivals for the love of Edith. Annesley has had an affair with a half-breed girl, Marie, but refuses to marry her. He wins Edith's promise by making her believe Emerson responsible for the unfortunate girl's predicament, but truth prevails and Annesley is killed by Marie's brother, while Emerson, overpowered, wins Edith's heart and hand.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"THE BRONZE BRIDE"—Featuring Eddie Polo and Claire McDowell will be the feature attraction today. It is an interesting drama of the law of the Great North. A white married an Indian girl and later deserts her to go home to his people. Later they are happily reunited. "The Chinaman Sam Mystery" No. 3, featuring Maurice Costello will also be shown. Tomorrow, Florence LaBadie, the well known Pathé star, is featured in the new reel drama, "Her Life and His." Combining one of the primary issues of the day that of prison reform, with a plot of admirably sustained interest this picture written by Philip Leagan, resorts to a whole lot of facts. He bases all his scenarios on those of vital interest. "Max's Disposition," a Pathé comedy featuring Max Linder, the noted French comedian. Wednesday, William Fox presents the versatile actress, Virginia Pearson, in the drama, "Sister Against Sister."

Dunbar.

Dunbar, April 23.—Jeweler and Mrs. Snyder Kelly of Woodvale street, are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

FIE FOR RHEUMATISM!

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives. Set a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on! Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



BIG CUT MADE IN WATER RATE

Westmoreland Water Company Must Charge Consumers Only 11 Cents Per 1,000 Gallons.

Greensburg, Irwin, Jeannette, Penn and Manor, Westmoreland county towns supplied by the Westmoreland Water company, won a victory in their fight for lower rates, the Public Service Commission having directed a cut of \$30,000 annually. A rate of 11 cents per 1,000 gallons is fixed as the flat rate at which water shall be sold in those boroughs. In addition to this a service charge is provided for.

The Conneltsville rate is 27 cents per 1,000 gallons to domestic consumers.

"The decision turns upon the valuation placed upon the properties of the company by the commission. The company claimed a value of more than \$2,000,000, while the complaining boroughs contended that the value did not much exceed \$1,000,000. The commission fixed a valuation of \$1,100,000 and ruled that the company is entitled to a return of 7 per cent per annum upon this amount.

After fixing the amount of annual depreciation in the property and the amount required for operating expenses, the commission finds that the gross revenue of the company should not exceed \$155,520. In 1914 the company had a gross revenue of \$189,000.

One of the contentions of the company was for a valuation of \$100,000 for its contract with the Mountain Water Supply Company, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, for a supply of water from Indian Creek. The commission denies the right of the company to a value for this contract for rate-making purposes, but makes an allowance of \$23,000 per annum for purchase of water under the contract. The commission ruled that whatever rights the company has in Indian Creek are not useful in the present system and that whatever expenditures were made there were made for other purposes. Before Pittsburgh decided to alter the water of the Allegheny river the company planned to supply the city from this creek.

The commission also denies the claim of the company for discount on stock and discount on bonds. This marks the end of a dispute of many years' standing between the consumers, particularly in Greensburg and Jeannette, and the water company. The case was in the courts of Westmoreland county for many years before the establishment of the Public Service Commission.

The decision is a commission decision and is signed by Chairman William D. B. Alvey and Secretary A. B. Miller.

NEW OFFICERS

Continued Lodge I. O. O. F. Holds Annual Installation.

At a regular meeting of the Confluence lodge, No. 811, I. O. O. F., held Friday evening, the officers for the ensuing year were installed. The installation of the officers was in charge of William A. Burnworth, district deputy grand master.

The following officers were installed: Past grand, E. P. Burnworth; noble grand, E. R. Bender, secretary, G. A. Frantz; treasurer, Lloyd Portell; wardens, Lloyd Ferrell; counselor, Lloyd Hollinger; chaplain, Thomas Knight; right scene supporter, Russell Collier; left scene supporter, Ralph Knight; right supporter to noble grand, M. C. Galt; left supporter to noble grand, J. L. Burnworth; right supporter to vice grand, Rev. D. C. Morris; left supporter to vice grand, Carl Watson; inside guardian, Clyde Brown; outside guardian, Harry Forterfield.

After the installation a banquet was served. The Confluence lodge is in a prosperous condition. It has just admitted 11 new members.

ATTACKED BY COW

Scottdale Boy Hurled From Bicycle by Violent Animal.

Carl Rice of Scottdale met with a peculiar accident while riding his bicycle along Homestead avenue in Scottdale Friday evening, when attacked by a vicious cow and thrown in the air, receiving a hand fall.

The animal was tied to the rear of a buggy owned by Joseph Enwerth, of Brownstown, who was driving. The cow became balky and swerving to one side blocked the street. Rice was passing and in order to avoid the cow turned his wheel on the sidewalk.

Seeing him, the cow leaped and breaking the rope tied to the buggy charged the boy. The cow caught the rear wheel of the bicycle with its horns, throwing both boy and wheel into the air. When he fell to the sidewalk, the cow covered Rice with both horns and refused to allow him to arise. It took several minutes to get the cow away from the lad. He was hurried to a physician's office. His condition is not serious. No bones were broken, but he received some severe bruises.

Infant Dies.

Laura Frances Christ, the seven months old daughter of A. B. and May Grim Christ, died this morning at the family residence, 212 Morton avenue. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. G. L. C. Richardson, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Wants Protection.

A half-witted foreigner who labored under the hallucination that the "conestables" were after him applied to the police early this morning for admission to the lockup. He was assigned to a cell, but was released this morning after an interpreter had talked with him.

Hope to Cumberland.

Charles Frederick Conn and Ethel May Snyder of Vanderbilt, took out a marriage license to wed in Cumberland Saturday.

PUTS ALL BLAME ON GERMANY

Scottdale Pastor Places Responsibility of War Solely Upon the Germans.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, April 23.—A large congregation was present last evening to hear Dr. G. W. Terhush, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, preach the second of a series of sermons on the present war, his subject being "The Responsibility of the World-Wide War." Dr. Terhush delivered one of the most logical sermons ever heard from a local pulpit, in the opinion of many hearers, and in a concise way covered the events of the last several years, with varied testimony, proving beyond a doubt that every other nation had tried to avert war, and that Germany determined to seize what she believed to be the psychological moment to realize her dream of world domination. His argument nullified the responsibility upon the Kaiser, as the one of last resort in Germany. Neither did he omit the United States and its part of long suffering until finally pushed into the conflict. Like every other nation engaged with Germany, with Germany denying that she wanted war with the United States.

In the morning the congregation voted on a resolution to ask the President, senators and representatives to declare for nation-wide prohibition as an emergency measure, saying that nothing to be done would show so well the sincerity of the demands for a conservation and increase of foodstuffs. Robert Wiley was chairman of the meeting and the resolution was passed unanimously.

Next Sunday evening, Dr. Terhush's sermon will be on "The Probable Outcome of the War."

ODD ACCIDENT

Ford Wheel Tangle and Machine is Overturned in Road.

Five passengers and Huey Lloyd, driving a taxi between Leisensing No. 2 and Uniontown, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday afternoon when the machine in which they were riding turned over. All extricated themselves and succeeded in righting the car. It was brought here for repairs, the radius rod being badly bent.

The taxi, a Ford touring car was bound for Leisensing No. 2, coming from Uniontown. A car belonging to a man named Lewis was standing on one side of the road, and he was putting on a new front wheel tire. Just as the taxi passed, Lewis jerked the front, causing the wheel to twist. The front wheels of the taxi became locked with those of the other machine, throwing it in a semi-circle in the road and causing an upset. The wheels of the Lewis machine were damaged.

GETS BAD FALL

Boy Jumping Off Auto Rendered Unconscious When He Falls.

Jumping off the extra tire carried in the rear of an automobile on which he was stealing a ride yesterday afternoon, a South Side youngster received a bad fall, rendering him unconscious for a few minutes. The boy was taken to his home in another machine that passed just after the accident.

The lad jumped on a big car when it started towards town from the end of the paved section of Pittsburgh street at South Conneltsville. As the car neared Davidson avenue he jumped off. Tripping, he fell forward and was scraped on the bricks, his face and hands being slightly cut. He recovered at his home, but suffered from shock.

ANOTHER BIG EGG.

E. G. Keefe Has Specimen Measuring Eight by Six and a Half.

The laying of one of the largest eggs seen in this section of the county in some years is reported by E. G. Keefe, who lives near Iron Bridge, Upper Tyrone township. A White Leghorn hen laid the egg Saturday.

Mr. Keefe describes it—the egg, not the hen—as measuring "eight inches in circumference the long way, and six and a half inches the opposite way."

INDOOR LIFE MAKES FAT

Try Oil of Kerefin With Simple System to Get Fine Figure.

People who spend most of their time indoors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air must take precaution to guard against overweightness, as fat accumulated by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body.

Lack of fresh air weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality, and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are overweight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden.

You are advised to go to a good druggist and get a small box of oil of kerefin and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Also follow the simple directions that come with the box. If you prefer to order by mail, write for booklet to Kerefin Company, 137 E. Arcade Street, New York, N. Y. It will come to you in a plain envelope.

Even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved figure and a return of the old energy, fondness for exercise and the skin less flabby in appearance as superfluous fat disappears.

Oil of kerefin is pleasant to take, causes no indigestion or constipation. Any person who wants to reduce 10 to 50 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial. Reports of rapid safe reduction are being made by both men and women.—Adv.

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If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, April 23.—In order to fill up the ranks of Company E, in which there are at present only 78 men, applications have been filed by 25 other youths, all single, and the only remaining test before they become actual members is a physical examination.

An army medical inspector was expected to arrive here yesterday, but failed to show up. There was a large crowd of patriotic young men at the airport and had recruiting been commenced yesterday, at least 75 men could have been secured within a short time.

No orders have as yet been received by Captain James Zundell for the discharge of the married men in the company. After these men are released it will be necessary to take about 25 more recruits into the company. No difficulty in securing men is expected.

Club Meets.

The Saturday afternoon club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Howard Stone on Church street Saturday afternoon. Resolutions were adopted on the death of Mrs. James McDonald Bryce, whose death occurred a week ago. Mrs. Bryce was founder of the club and after serving a term as president, remained honorary president during her life. Mrs. J. S. Mullen presided at the meeting. As the name of each member was called, those present responded with the name of their favorite picture.

A paper on the history of the D. A. R. was read by Mrs. J. H. Reid. Miss Rachael Neel read an article on "The Greek Church," and Miss Edith Warden read a paper on "The Carnegie Gallery." Refreshments were served and a social hour spent.

CARNIVAL FEATURES

Rutherford Shows Include Some Fine Attractions.

When on Monday, April 30, there opens at Seventh street and Crawford avenue, West Side, the big annual appeal of the New Haven Hose Company, the way of the tented city of the Rutherford Greater Shows there will be found, along the midway, many new and pretentious attractions.

Harry R. Polack, the director of this "tent city offering amusement to young and old," has sent out explicit instructions to all his staff that there is to be nothing with his shows except what is first class in every respect.

There are Rice's submarine gills, "The Horrors of War," a spectacular and massive production. The society circus and standup the monkey speedway, "Stop, Look and Listen," a mechanical walk-around feature, "Spido," a great illusion of merit, "Hazel," the mysterious, "Locomotion," a serpentine can classic in music and fire dancing, "The Beauty and the Beast," and "Poses Plastique" from the studio of Le Beau.

These are just a few of the attractions and by no means a complete list. Professor William Fink's American Brass Band has been especially engaged for this tour. There are 25 artists.

Successful Revival.

Successful revival services are being held in the Mount Zion Baptist Church in the West Side, of which Rev. R. D. Eby is pastor. Rev. O. S. Simms of the Rodman street Baptist Church, is delivering very interesting sermons. Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock he addressed a large meeting for men only. The meetings will continue for 10 days, with Rev. Simms occupying the pulpit each night. Special music is rendered by a large chorus choir.

WOULD THE KAISER CARE FOR PORTRAIT OF MR. WILSON NOW?



WON'T GO TO GERMANY

This painting of President Wilson, by Gustave C. Langenberg, was recently completed. It was begun more than two years ago and was to have been a gift from the Hamburg chamber of commerce to Kaiser Wilhelm. It is believed now by the people who were

financing the presentation that the Kaiser would not appreciate the gift at this time and efforts have been made to find a suitable home for the painting. The National Museum in Washington has been suggested.

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DISTRIBUTE THE BURDEN.

In Congress, in framing the measure which is to provide revenues to meet the expenses of the war, it is intended to apply the principle underlying the selective draft provision of the army bill, which is designed to distribute the burden of war equally between the willing and the unwilling, it will have effect to determine what proportion is to be paid by the present generation, through direct taxation, and how much will be left to be liquidated by future generations.

In determining this question there are several very important factors that must be taken into account. If too large a proportion of the war's expense is laid upon the present generation a grave mistake will certainly be made. The nation is at war to save the world's civilization and for the benefit of generations yet unborn. In the conduct of the war it will furnish men, munitions and other items of tremendous total cost. Through high prices for every article of human need the people of today are already paying their share of the cost of the war as it has progressed in Europe for more than two years. To throw upon the shoulders of the people and of industry in the present generation too large a share of the actual financial burden, in addition to the services of service, would be as unjust as it would be unwise.

To provide for the adequate expansion of the industrial, farming and business interests of the nation that they may care for the enlarged operations which will be necessary to a successful conduct of the war, will require billions of dollars. Instead of exacting a burdensome tax from these interests, upon which the very safety of the nation will largely depend, every effort should be made to promote their prosperity so that they will be able to finance their enlargements out of their earnings and leave the burden of the general investing public free to absorb the securities the government may from time to time find it necessary to issue.

There is a demand, an insistent, growing demand, for everything—food supplies, iron and steel, manufactured articles and transportation facilities—far in excess of productive capacity. The most urgent need, therefore, is that all the productive agencies, forces and interests of the country be permitted to operate profitably, instead of under handicaps, so that each may expand its facilities and stimulate its production without increasing the cost.

During the Civil War we paid 35 per cent of its cost by direct taxation and the balance in bonds. In Great Britain the people are paying 25 per cent in taxes. In the former case the burden pressed no less heavily upon the people and industry than it is now doing in the latter. President Wilson has called upon the people of the nation to do their part in furnishing the means of war as they are equipped with willingness and ability. By his expressed determination to force Congress to embody the selective conscription principle in the army bill, he is giving proof of his desire that the military service, like the economic service of the people, shall be distributed equally among the men able to render either.

With some inconsistency, though, he has declared for a "pay as you go" policy of financing the war, the operation of which would compel this generation to carry the whole burden of prosecuting the war and buying the cost in life and treasure. Other Democratic leaders are of the opinion that the direct taxes should not exceed 40 per cent of the total cost of the war. Others still more radical favor making the direct taxes equal to the amount raised by the bonds.

Radicalism, much less untried economic theories, should not be permitted to have way in this matter. The necessity of maintaining our people and our industries at a high efficiency is too great to weight either down with more than their fair share of the war's expense.

FOOD MISERS AND SHARKS.
A movement has gained considerable headway in some sections of the country, notably in the west. In the direction of hoarding food. This is being practiced by two classes of people. Consumers are buying up large quantities to provide for family needs far into the future. Food speculators are reported to be filling warehouses in an effort to control the available supplies.

One of these activities is about as reprehensible as the other. Both will have the effect of removing large stocks from the retail markets and the inevitable result will be still higher prices. Increased scarcity will work untold hardships upon those people who are able to buy only from day to day and in small quantities.

In Chicago an investigation of the food speculators has been ordered and an appeal to the patriotism of home buyers is being made through an organization of housewives. It is extremely doubtful if either of these efforts will avail much in the direction intended. It will take something more than a perfunctory investigation by local authorities and moral

suasion to bring offenders of this type to a sense of their obligations to the public welfare in an hour like the present.

Congress should immediately address itself to providing an effective means of protecting the great consuming public from the rapacity of both the food sharks and the food misers. It may require drastic measures, but the people are not in the temper to accept anything short of a positive check upon the conscienceless greed and avarice of any person or group of persons so lacking in patriotism that they will use our economic distress as a means of unrighteous gain.

GET INTO THE GAME, BOYS!

With the attractive cash prizes Clay Lynch, general superintendent of the H. C. Fricke Coke company, offers to high school boys for raising potatoes, a decided stimulus will certainly be given the movement of enlisting the interest and labors of these youths in an increased production of foodstuffs.

The boys of the schools have already been appealed to by the school authorities, as well as by the whole country, to join with others who will contribute to the work of preparing our country for war through adding to the store of food supplies. To this appeal there is now added the incentive of winning prizes in a contest which ought to appeal to the school boy spirit and induce many to enter heartily and vigorously into the work.

The potato raising contest is a good sized proposition for boys of high school age who have had no gardening experience and it will prove an excellent test of their mettle. It is, however, less of an undertaking than scores of boys, many only 12 to 14 years of age, went into last year in the potato contest. They tilled a whole acre of ground in a crop requiring much more and harder labor than raising potatoes. They stayed on the job all summer and a number won substantial prizes as well as receiving a good profit on their crop.

The prizes Mr. Lynch offers are much larger than the corn boys received, hence on the score of awards alone the potato contest should prove more attractive than the corn tests.

Aside from an opportunity to win a worthwhile reward the boys who enter the competition for Mr. Lynch's prizes will have the satisfaction of knowing that, whether they win or lose, they will have patriotically contributed to their country's need.

The progressive public spiritedness of men of large affairs, like Mr. Lynch, should have proper recognition and appreciation. In the larger sense the obligation rests upon the community to accept the proposition which has been tendered in such good spirit, hence it is hoped the boys of the high school will go into the potato contest with as much vim and determination to win as they would line up on the gridiron or the diamond to win what they know would be a good, stiff game of sport.

With the national committee of a party which is rapidly gaining strength in both Germany and Austria-Hungary, the immediate abolition of all inequalities of citizenship rights, as well as the abolition of the bureaucratic regime and the rule of the despotic few, the influence of the people's representatives, it would appear that Kaiser Bill and Emperor Charles will have a busy summer in keeping close watch on their own backyard gardens.

The danger of late for gardeners appears to be more numerous than the volunteer cardinals.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad, like similar enterprises, is going about giving aid to increased production in a systematic way. If proper co-operation is given by the farmers and gardeners the territory served by this road will in a full share toward swelling the contents of grain bins and food cellars the coming season.

From the elaborate outline of the plan of operation of the Lancaster county food supply division of Committee on Public Safety, which is but one of the diverse divisions of this body will gain some idea of the scope and size of the job before them.

The food purveyors may as well begin to get ready for the government regulation of prices. It is coming as certainly as an increase in taxes is on the way.

The Federal Governor Brumbaugh made in discussing his own contingent fund shows that divided responsibility makes a bad division between credit and discredit for the disbursing agent. There is no guarantee that a one-man control of the state fund would make any better showing.

The Senate needs carefully to discern the difference between wise conservatism of the press and a dangerous approach to autocratic dictation. The world is debilitated against the latter and America must continue to be its enemy, not ally.

British statesmen, enthusiastic over the entry of the United States into the war, are proclaiming "The United States of Great Britain and America." Where does Ireland come in?

While Uncle Sam awaits the end let every citizen follow his example and await the end.

The Hindenburg line seems to have been lifted with a collapse front.

By hissing the American Ambassador and cheering the German Minister when they appeared in the chamber of deputies in Mexico City a few days ago, the Mexicans gave proof, in the usual Mexican fashion, of the sincerity of their protestations of neutrality.

The country fervently hopes that all of the obstructing congressmen who are opposing the selective draft will not be beyond the age limit by the time this measure becomes effective.

The mercenary Frenchman who would front a statue to President Wilson ought to wisely direct their enthusiasm in other ways. Raising food is more important just now. Raising memorials can be attended to after the war and with more appropriateness.

How to Lower Potato Prices.
Belleville Waterman.
Don't think because you raise your own potatoes they will cost you nothing next fall. Your potatoes will cost you just what other people will have to pay for theirs, for the reason that if you do not eat them you could sell them at the market price and that lives their value, whether you eat them or sell them. The more potatoes we all raise the less they will cost any of us, for a bumper crop will lower prices.

Weighing the Evidence

No business element is doing more for the business welfare of the City in which it operates than the average utility company. It does not regard its part performed merely with the sale of a certain commodity to a certain number of persons.

It takes vital interest in everything that enriches the civic life of the community and puts the same efficiency into this character of volunteer service as it does into that for which the community gives it a franchise and pays its rates.

The old time management of public utilities is no longer practiced. The utilities today are largely in the hands of young men who realize their duty towards the public and they are endeavoring in every way possible how best to serve the public.

Former errors of old time management are fast being cleared up. The public wants service, and it is to this end that the Fayette County Gas Company is always striving.

The function of a public service corporation is to serve the public, not the selfish ends of some private member of the public, and the corporation is entitled to the protection of the public against the machinations of such individuals.

The Fayette County Gas Company has always treated the public and the communities it serves with the utmost fairness and consideration.

It has not only contributed liberally and freely to every worthy cause, but it has saved the taxpayers thousands and thousands of dollars by reason of special low rates for gas used in public schools, and municipal buildings, and which has apparently been overlooked by the Councils which are opposing the increase in the gas rate.

It might not be out of place to call attention to the fact that Courts have decided that this is not obligatory on the part of the gas companies, and such service may be discontinued any time.

The Gas Company has also for years made a low rate for gas to the industrial plants, in some instances, as an inducement to get them to locate in the community, because no town or city can thrive unless it has factories and works to employ and attract labor, and Natural Gas has always been the magnet to draw the employer of labor. The Company has not made money in selling gas to factories, but it has helped to increase the domestic consumption, and greatly helped the towns.

All service for industrial purposes will have to be discontinued next Fall unless a new supply of gas can be secured, because under existing conditions we will not even have sufficient for our domestic requirements.

This newspaper advertising could be carried on indefinitely, but we do not see the necessity for it.

We have taken the public into our confidence, and frankly explained the situation. We have not exaggerated or misrepresented the conditions but simply stated facts. We have explained the shortage of gas; we have told you all about our earnings, and the dividends paid.

We have shown you how all material and labor entering into the construction of gas lines, and the drilling of wells has advanced; how the increased rate will effect the consumers, and how moderate the increase is as compared with the advances in other commodities.

No real reason has been advanced as to why the increase should not go into effect. We have heard that it was unfair and unreasonable—but no tangible argument has been advanced, and it takes more than mere talk to convince the public.

FAYETTE COUNTY GAS COMPANY.

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

THE GRIEF MONOPOLIST.

If you imagine you have trouble, that every trouble's trotting double, and each one fit to kill, if you imagine you're enduring the wee that's beyond all curing, then think of Kaiser Bill. If you believe the world is ailing, and are inclined to do some walling, I bid you, friend, still; forget the evil that befalls you. Forget the evil that befalls you, and think of Kaiser Bill. The Kaiser's cornered all of sorrow, and we that he could beg or borrow, and every brand of ill, you're not entitled to a crumb, you should be patient and humble, beside old Kaiser Bill. All things that ever chafed and bothered, all tribulations he has fathered, with Kultur and with skill, and who are you to take of grievance, your little weep of anxious weeping, beside old Kaiser Bill? Oh, treasure not on Bill's dominions, but let him wave his subtle plumes as darts, as he will, you cannot see his gloom, more sleep than a boot and a sun sit up all night without feeling languid and depressed in the morning.

Ran-dom Reels

By Howard L. Rann.

THE SLEEPLESS BABY.

The sleepless baby is a popular form of continuous vaudeville without any price of admission. It is generally understood among people who have never had any babies to speak of that if they are let alone and not interfered with by an open enemy they can be relied upon to sleep for hours at a time, only waking up when refreshments are served. This is a greater error than the common belief that a baby is a creature of whim. But that baby who has a sudden bout of his first wife, a baby who is perfectly healthy and is also cutting teeth at a high rate of speed does not need any more sleep than a boot and a sun sit up all night without feeling languid and depressed in the morning.

The sleepless baby is caused by a lack of cleanliness due to becoming unduly excited over something. One of the most painful relations which comes to the young husband is the one with which a five-week-old baby can become excited. It is not a difficult matter to tell when this happens, as the baby at once becomes talkative and attempts to swallow its left hand, wrist and elbow.

Nearly all babies which are afflicted with acute and paroxysmal insomnia come down with their worst attacks at night, just after a proud but tired father has turned in and has begun to slumber in a noisy and impassioned manner. We would like to say why it is that a small infant will sit around on the floor all day and play with a one-armed doll without uttering a single harsh word, and then as soon as the shades of night fall insist upon being carried around the house in a puffed condition and banish sleep from the entire neighborhood?

The only cure for the sleepless baby is time and plenty of it. Every young husband should be required to take care of the baby at night, so that his wife can sleep and build up her complexion. If we had a law to this effect, there would be less gallivanting on the part of the male sex.

A Family Trick.

Mount Pleasant Journal.
Hon. Woods N. Carr is an orator, but he is the whole Carr family.

MOST POPULAR GARDEN CROPS.

Pears, beans and beets are among the most popular of home garden crops, says the bulletin of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission which is co-operating with The Courier in urging the planting of gardens this year.

Pears can be planted as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring, as they are not easily injured by light frosts. The seeds come in early and late varieties, the early seeds being smooth and the late wrinkled. By selecting these varieties and planting seeds every 10 days or two weeks until warm weather sets in, your garden will produce fresh pears for a long period during the growing season.

Recommended early brands of pears are Alaska, First and Best, and Grand. These are all ground pears, not requiring supports. Later varieties, which must be supported with brush, straws stretched between stakes, or chicken wire, are Champion of England, Telephone, and Prize Taker.

Plant seeds two or three inches deep. It is well to plant double rows 6 inches apart, the middle space being used for the supports. A space of three or four feet should separate these pairs of rows. Beans should not be planted until danger of frost is over. String beans and lima beans grow on low bushes or on climbing vines; you can get either variety. For a continuous supply, plant every 10 days (never more than two inches deep) bush beans three or four inches apart, and climbing or pole beans in hills four or five feet apart.

For pole beans plant eight or 10 seeds in each hill and thin to three or four when the plants come up. The poles, five or six feet long, should be firmly fixed in the center of the hills. Have two rows of hills and slanting the poles so that each set of four may be tied together at the top for mutual support, Indian tape fashion. Beets are an early spring crop, being safely planted when the danger of frost is past. Sow them thickly in rows one foot apart; they should be later thinned to stand three or four inches apart. Three plantings will give a continuous supply.

Classified Advertisements.

One Cent a Word.

No advertisements for less than 15 cents.
Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements of wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

Wanted.
WANTED—YOUR BARBERING BUSINESS. REPAIRS.
WANTED—YOU TO ADVERTISE IN our classified columns.
WANTED—BOYS OVER 16 YEARS AT RIPLEY & COMPANY. 23apr-17
WANTED—A BOY, STEADY WORK, APPLY COURIER OFFICE.
WANTED—DISHWASHER AT TOWN HOUSE. 13apr-17
WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL for general housework. Call Tri-State 521. 23apr-17
WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call Bell phone 53-M. Dawson. 23apr-17
WANTED—SECOND TRUCK COOK at ADAMS' RESTAURANT, 141 Water street. 13apr-17
WANTED—AT ONCE, FIVE BOILER-makers. CONNELLSVILLE IRON WORKS. 13apr-17
WANTED—MAN FOR RESTAURANT work. CUPP'S RESTAURANT. 23apr-17
WANTED—THIRD TRICK COOK, dishwasher and chambermaid. CUPP'S RESTAURANT. 23apr-17
WANTED—AT ONCE, TWO FIRST class linens. MFG CO., Scotland, Pa. 23apr-17
WANTED—DOMESTIC FOR FAMILY of three. Good home and wages for the right party. Apply 705 Pittsburg St., Scotland, Pa. 13apr-17
WANTED—OLD FALSE TEETH wanted. Don't matter if broken. I pay one to ten dollars per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. MAZUR, 2307 S. 8th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 13apr-17
WANTED—FIFTY (50) SHIRT makers at the following prices: Mockers, \$3.00; drill runners, \$3.50; shirt bodies, \$4.00; 8 hours per day. Pay day every two weeks. He will pay an extra bonus of 50 cents a day to every man who works eleven (11) shifts or more in each half-month period. Don't be a shucker. Be a nucker at \$3.50 for eight hours—22 days a month. Also common laborers, \$2.50 per day for 10 hours. F. J. FOYE, Contractor, Ebensburg, Pa. 23apr-17

Wanted.
WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL for general housework. Family of three. Call Tri-State 522. 23apr-17
WANTED—YOU TO KNOW THAT I want the Jeweler will keep open the Kessler and Kessler department every evening until 8 o'clock. 23apr-17
WANTED—LABORERS FOR GENERAL construction work. \$1.25 cent per hour. Work being done by the Pittsburgh Wood Preserving Plant, J. W. Magill, Lughlin, Contractor, Adolphi, Pa. 23apr-17
For Rent.
FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM BRICK veneer house. Inquire KALL'S BANK. 9apr-17
FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, complete. Rent reasonable. ELIZABETH H. HODGE, 2304 E. 12th St. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—SIX ROOM MODERN apartment; first floor; furnace, \$20.00; 235 East Main. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; 1147 Race street. Tri-State \$15. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—3 ROOM HOUSE; BATH; all conveniences, 410 Cottage Ave. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS FOR light housekeeping, 347 N. Pittsburg street. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, Race street. Both phones. 20M. DAVIDSON. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED front room. Gentlemen preferred. Apply 299 Lincoln Ave. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS opposite high school, 107 Fairview Ave. 23apr-17
FOR RENT—THREE FURNISHED rooms. Inquire 116 West Peach street. 23apr-17
For Sale.
FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE: two room Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman, 127 E. Fairview Ave. 23apr-17
FOR SALE—6 ROOM HOUSE, NICE location; paved street and sidewalk. Pantry, bath and two porches. Hot air heat. Address "D. J." care Courier. 23apr-17

The Boy's Summer Suit
What Our Service Means

With our boys' clothing buyers the keynote of the boys' supplies is best styles, fabrics, and linings. A suit may look well, but if it isn't built of the right sort of fabrics, if it hasn't the right kind of linings, it soon loses its good air. The smart lines fade. The mere surface appearance of quality disappears. Our buyers are enthusiastic about boys' clothing. They know while a boy may pretend not to care much about clothes, and grow a lot about having to brush his hair and blacken his shoes and tie his tie right deep down in his heart he likes to look as well as the other boys, so they pick out styles that they think a boy will look well in. Serges, chevots, cassiniers, worsteds, tweeds, in the most alluring, quietly smart patterns. A boy couldn't help but throw his shoulders back and walk with a sturdier air of self-respect in these fabrics. At once they make him feel "set-up." An almost black-gray chevot, with broken "flecky" lines of white is a beauty. So is the stunning English looking pattern in brownish checks. A brown-eyed boy would look finish it. Every fabric has individuality in one way or another. Then there are suits with two pair of trousers. Parents don't need to take them. We break the suit if you wish, but every suit should have two pairs. Hats? Yes. We have got in some felt hats the boys are wild about. They are like dad's hat. Then, too, the boys can pinch them up any way they like. Some crush them to look like Boy Scout hats. These hats come in gray, blue, brown, green and other colors, and prices are reasonable. We want the boys to know that our clothing buyers have taken much pains to get summer goods to please and suit them. We also want them to know that we have very excellent wearing shoes—fashionable styles.

Union Supply Co.

60 Large Department Stores,

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

Hooper & Long Shoes
For Spring

We are featuring some of the most exclusive styles in high and low shoes and pumps—both in colors and black. Our specialty is the perfect fitting, of reliable footer at reasonable prices.

You make no mistake in buying here.

HOOPER & LONG'S

For Sale.
FOR SALE—CORNER LOT ON paved street. Good location. Address "K. K." care Courier. 23apr-17
FOR SALE—10 YEAR OLD HORSE, weight 1,200 lbs. Sound. Used in delivery wagon. Apply 508 Edna St., Conneltsville, Pa. 23apr-17
FOR SALE—ONE GOOD LEVEL LOT 40 by 160, paved and sewered, beside L. K. Vough on Chestnut street. Cheap to quick buyer. W. T. MUIR. 23apr-17
FOR SALE—TWO BLACK HORSES, six and seven years old; 1650 lbs. each; will work anywhere. LOUCKS HARDWARE CO., Scotland, Pa. 13apr-17

Notice to Creditors.
THE PERCHERON STALLION, Black Scott, will make the season as follows: Six days a week at the J. L. Paul farm near Dunbar, Pa. Keeper, HENRY CENCL. 23apr-17

Notice to Contractors.
ON MONDAY NIGHT, APRIL 30th, the Conneltsville school district will open bids for the following equipment for the new school building:
1—Electric fixtures
2—Hardware
All bids must be in the hands of the secretary by 5 o'clock P. M. April 30th. The board reserves the right to reject all bids. Plans may be seen in the high school office or may be secured from Harry Antman, Architect, Uniontown, Pa. J. R. DAVIDSON, President. Attest—CAMILLA M. MUNK, Secretary. 23apr-17

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, County of Fayette, ss:
Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and state, personally appeared JAMES M. DRISCOLL, who being duly sworn, according to law, did depose and say: That he is Assistant Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Conneltsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Thursday April 21, 1917, was as follows:
April 16.....5,829 April 19.....5,551
April 17.....5,559 April 20.....5,551
April 18.....5,554 April 21.....5,551
Total.....42,121
Daily Average.....7,020
That the daily circulation by means for the year 1917 to date was as follows:
1917
January.....167,261 6.21
February.....139,382 5.81
March.....118,131 5.04
April.....170,910 6.812
May.....105,312 7.233
June.....102,124 7.091
July.....100,522 7.832
August.....200,059 7.934
September.....185,806 7.234
October.....182,333 7.074
November.....175,393 7.195
December.....177,469 7.089
Totals.....2,201,400 7.039
And further sayeth not.
JAMES M. DRISCOLL
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 1917.
J. B. KURTZ
Notary Public

WANT MORE YOUNG MEN TO JOIN IN THE RED CROSS WORK

Father Lambing Asks Scottdale People Why Youths Do Not Assist.

BIG MASS MEETING HELD

Large Attendance at Rally in Scottdale Yesterday. Honorable Wanda N. Carr of Uniontown is Principal Speaker. Over \$500 in the Treasury.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, April 23.—The Red Cross mass meeting in the Scottdale theatre yesterday afternoon to inaugurate a membership campaign was a decided success. Many members were taken into the organization after the meeting. Rev. L. B. Runk presided. Beautiful souvenir programs containing names of the officers, the "Star Spangled Banner," and the program for the meeting were distributed through the audience by the local order of Elks. A short business session was held. Excellent reports were given from all branches of the work. The treasurer's report showed over \$500 in the treasury, and this is considered a fine showing in less than two weeks.

Mrs. Walter F. Stauder had an exhibition of surgical suits, bandages and other articles to be made by local units for the Red Cross. These garments are from the Pittsburgh chapter to be shown to the local ladies so that they will know what to expect in the way of garment making. The Fancy Work club here will make 100 of the surgical shirts.

A report was received from the Physicians' Round Table showing that they would assist in first aid work. Father M. A. Lambing said that he could not see why more of the young men were not present to take part in the meeting. His address was greeted by round after round of applause. Robert Skemp told the audience that the Red Cross work was generally considered to be all women's work, but it was not that it was men's work, and there was much work to be done by them. Mr. Skemp introduced Hon. Wanda N. Carr of Uniontown who made the leading address of the afternoon.

Endorse Prohibition.
In all of the churches of Scottdale yesterday a resolution was passed asking the President and Congress to endorse a nation-wide prohibition as a war measure.

Committee to Meet.
A meeting of the executive committee of the Red Cross will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, S. S. Convention.

There was good attendance at the Sunday school convention at Ruffsdale yesterday afternoon and evening. The Scottdale district ranks sixth in the county with a percentage of 86 and will make a better showing than this at the close of the present year. At the close of the past year it had 24 schools enrolled, with a total enrollment of 6,404. Of these 163 joined church. Seventeen from the schools, and there were 17 teacher training classes, 21 on the cradle roll, 20 in the home departments, 26 secondary divisions, 119 A. B. C.'s, 23 temperance departments and 23 missionary departments. Walter H. Shaker gave an excellent address on "The Need of Evangelical Teaching in the Sunday School."

Ohioans.

OHIOANS, April 23.—Mrs. E. Show of Confluence is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Shaw on Commercial street for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rafferty and daughters, Eunice, Ruth and Lois, of Star City, W. Va., were the guests of relatives on Garrett street Sunday.

Miss Lucy Linderman of South Connelville spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins and daughter, Thelma, of Connelville, are the guests of Ohioans friends for a few days.

Mrs. Samuel Shipley spent Sunday calling on friends at Bidwell.

Mrs. Charles Burnworth of Maple Summit spent Saturday calling on friends and shopping in town.

Miss Alice Jackson of Uniontown spent Sunday the guest of her parents here.

Miss Nancy Linderman of Jefferson township spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near here.

Miss Helen Robinson spent Saturday calling on friends in Connelville.



a friend to tender skins

Many ill-made toilet soaps contain free alkali, a harsh chemical which tends to dry and injure the skin or hair. Resinol Soap contains absolutely no free alkali, and it is added the soothing, healing Resinol medication, which doctors have used for over 20 years in treating skin troubles. Thus it comforts tender skins, and helps nature clear the complexion and keep the hair rich, lustrous and free from dandruff. Sold at all druggists and toilet counters.

"HERE LIVES A MAN WHO IS SERVING HIS COUNTRY IN THE MARINE CORPS"



A MAN FROM THIS HOUSE IS SERVING IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS RECRUITING STATION

This is to certify that Mr. [Name] has patriotically offered his services to the United States Marine Corps but has been rejected for physical disabilities.

Recruiting Officer



MARINE CORPS MARKS HOMES OF ITS MEMBERS

front of which are standing the wife and children of a marine corps member. The card reproduced in given all men who are rejected for enlistment in the United States marine corps on account of disability, so that they will have absolute proof that they are not "slackers." It reads: "United States marine corps recruiting station. This is to certify that Mr. [Name] has patriotically offered his services to the United States marine corps, but has been rejected for physical disabilities."

Try our classified advertisements.

World's Largest Medical Staff For Drink or Drug Users

More physicians, specialists in the treating of drink and drug cases, more patients treated, more institutions where drink and drug treatments are given—this is the record that tells more forcibly than volumes, the good work that has been done by the modern Neul Treatment for drink and drugs. Sixty Neul institutes in principal cities of the world, tens of thousands of cases successfully treated, hundreds of physicians devoting their skill and study to the drink and drug problems tell the story of why physicians, lawyers, judges, clergymen, business men and public workers endorse and use Neul three days' treatment for the drink habit. Write for free booklet, giving full information, or better call any time, day or night, Neul Institute, 373 Winebiddle Ave., Pittsburgh, phone, Highland 1380. Open day and night. Neul Institutes at Cleveland, Ohio, Cincinnati, Columbus, Pittsburgh and Detroit.—Adv.

FOUR WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

No Relief—Mrs. Brown Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"For years I suffered so sometimes it seemed as though I could not stand it any longer. It was all in my lower organs. At times I could hardly walk, for if I stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doctor came. I was taken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came home I would faint just the same and had the same pains."

A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home.—Mrs. W. C. Brown, 2844 W. 12th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our father, Wm. A. Bryson. We also thank the ministers, the choir and the L. O. O. F. for the service rendered.—Adv.

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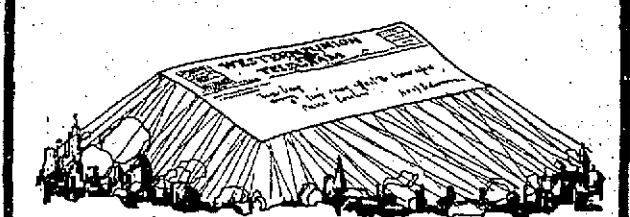
Greater attention to maintaining and increasing soil fertility and crop production.

Here are four pertinent suggestions from the Food Conference held by Governor Capper, of Kansas, a few days ago. One hundred and fifty farmers met and discussed means of speeding up production and growing more per acre on their farms. Resolutions adopted by the conference stated that "in view of the pressing need for attention to maintaining soil fertility on American farms, the present prices which farmers are receiving are not excessive."

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Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of Zemo. When applied as directed, it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying. The E. W. Roe Co., Cleveland, O.

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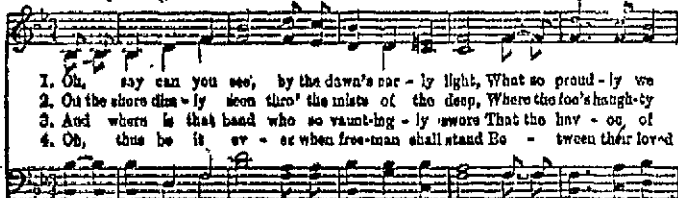
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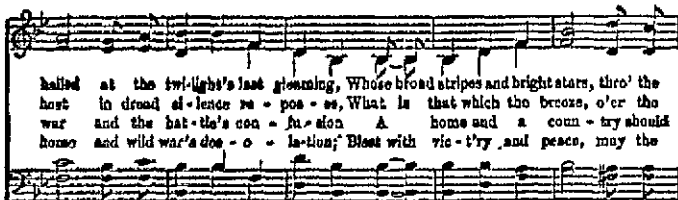
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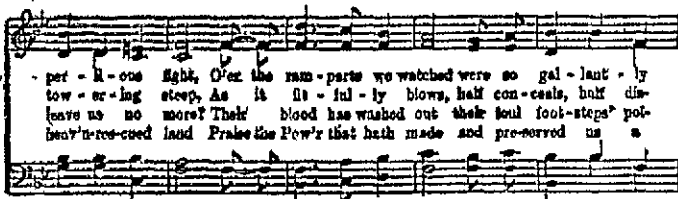
Francis Scott Key, 1814.



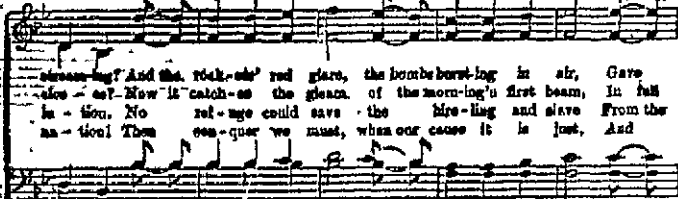
1. Oh say can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proud - ly we
2. On the shore dim - ly seen thro' the mist of the deep, Where the foe's haugh - ty
3. And where is that land who so vaunt - ing - ly swore That the bay - on - of
4. Oh, thus be it - ev - er - as when fre - man shall stand Be - tween their lov - ed



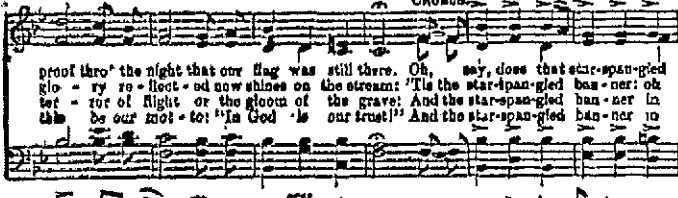
hail'd at the twi - light's last gleaming, Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the
host in dread al - lence re - pos - ed, What is that which the breeze, o'er the
war and the bat - tle's con - fu - sion A home and a coun - try should
home and wild war's do - o - la - tion! Bless with vic - t'ry and peace, may the



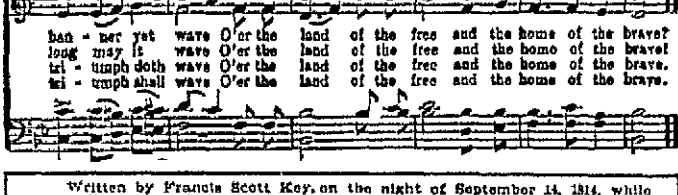
per - il - one fight, O'er the ram - parts we watch'd where so gal - lant - ly
low - er - ing steep, As the sun - be - am - ed - ly blow, half con - ceal'd, half dis -
cove - red, No more! Their blood has wash'd out their foul steps - pot -
ent - re - corded lead, Praise the Pow'r that hath made and pre - serv'd us a



strong - er! And the rock - ed - red glare, the bomb - burst - ing in air, Gave
glow - ing - ed - ly - ing on the stream: 'Tis the star - spang - led ban - ner, O'er the
let - out of fight, or the gloom of the grave! And the star - spang - led ban - ner in
the by our zion - to! 'Tis God - is our trust! And the star - spang - led ban - ner in



proof thro' the night that our flag was still there, Oh, say, does that star - spang - led
glo - ry - no - low - er - ed now shines on the stream: 'Tis the star - spang - led ban - ner, O'er the
let - out of fight, or the gloom of the grave! And the star - spang - led ban - ner in
the by our zion - to! 'Tis God - is our trust! And the star - spang - led ban - ner in



ban - ner yet wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?
long may it wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!
in - umph doth wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.
in - umph shall wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Written by Francis Scott Key, on the night of September 14, 1814, while
compelled to watch under the guns of a British ship the bombardment of
Fort Mifflin. He watched the flag at the fort through the whole day, with
an anxiety that can be better described, until darkness prevented
him from seeing it. During the night he watched the bombards and at
last dawn his eye was again greeted by the proudly waving flag of his
country.

Not Afraid to Die

It is sweet and glorious to die
for one's country.—Horace.

It is related that a private in the
army of the Potomac was sentenced
to be shot for sleeping at his
post of duty. In some way word of
the approaching execution came to
the attention of President Lincoln,
and after writing out a reprieve he
called his carriage and started out
to see that the reprieve did not
fall far from the mark.



The poor condemned soldier. It was a
breath of dry and the ride to camp
was a long one of ten miles, but the
great-hearted Lincoln was bent on sav -
ing the poor soldier and he went for -
ward. Perhaps the president later for -
got the incident amid weightier cares
of state, but not so the soldier. When
the Third Vermont charged upon the
ride pits before Yorktown the follow -
ing year the enemy poured a volley,
upon them. The first man to fall was
William Scott of Company K, with six
bullets through his body. His com -
rades caught him as he fell and as his
life blood ebbed away, he raised his
head and said: "I'm not afraid to die
for my country."

cries of the dying and the shouts of
the enemy a prayer for the president,
and as he died he remarked to his com -
rades that Lincoln had showed he was
no coward and was not afraid to die.
At the burial inter the chaplain nar -
rated the circumstances to the boys
who stood about with uncovered
heads. He had prayed for the pres -
ident and paid him a most fervid and
glowing tribute with his dying breath.

One country, one constitution, one
destiny.

CLUSTER OF PATRIOTIC GEMS

Elloquent Tribute of Daniel Webster
to Our Country's Needs and
Greatness.

Liberty and union now and forever,
one and inseparable.

Let our object be our country, our
whole country, and nothing but our
country.

If we are true to our country in our
day and generation, and those who
come after us shall be true to it also,
assuredly we shall elevate her to a
pitch of prosperity and happiness of
honor and power never yet reached by
any nation beneath the sun.

This lovely land, this glorious lib -
erty, these benign institutions, the
dear purchase of our fathers, are ours;
ours to enjoy, ours to preserve, ours to
transmit. Generations past and gen -
erations to come hold us responsible
for this sacred trust.

NATION'S MUSIC CLUBS TO PRESERVE NEGRO MELODIES



That the negro melodies of
plantation days shall be made a na -
tional asset the National Federation
of Musical Clubs during its biennial
convention to be held in Birmingham,
Ala., April 15 to 22d, will propose
that the United States Bureau of
Education take steps to preserve
them in records as already the In -
dian chants have been preserved.

Against a background of brilliant
performance by artists of interna -
tional reputation and by the Russian
Orchestra, the unwritten and un -
written melodies sung "at the old
cabin doors" will be given place on
the programs of the Federation.

Negro singers of a Birmingham col -
ored church choir will sing them.
Moreover action will be taken to ask
the United States Government to
preserve the songs, in accordance
with resolutions already adopted
which set out that the Bureau of
Education should be asked to pre -
serve "the real old negro folk songs."

LEARN TO SAVE.

Acquire the Habit of Spending Less
Than You Earn

Americans are not as thrifty as the
people of many other nations. Sav -
ings bank statistics show this. Our
money comes too easily, even in nor -
mal times. We feed the savings bank
too well. We ignore the little short -
cuts of economy. We forget the com -
ing rainy day in our enjoyment of the
present fair day.

And if savings bank reports are not
enough, turn to the figures of the ac -
tories. See how few men, for instance,
reach the period of natural retirement
with enough of an estate accumulated
to keep them through the remaining
years of their lives. See how many
are compelled to tell for a daily pen -
sion beyond the time when they
should have the privilege of retiring
on ease on the income of their savings
or are left stranded because unable to
work.

All industry is built on the savings
of those who at some time have learn -
ed the wisdom of putting aside some
portion of their earnings as an invest -
ment. Abolition of thrift would mean
the abolition of organized business. It
would hardly be an exaggeration to
say it would mean the abolition of civ -
ilization itself.

Save—save a little. Get the habit
of spending less than your income.
Make some banker your friend. Have
a stake in the community. Stretch the
pay envelope a little farther than
nearly to the next pay day. Buy a
home. Don't float, anchor!

True words these. Certainly. But
it is astonishing how many people
there are in the United States who
have never taken them to heart—
Cleveland Plain Dealer

Efficiency

Willis—Bump has a very up to date
office.
Gillis—Yes. He has one of these
office systems where you can find just
what you want when you don't want
it by looking where it wouldn't be if you
did want it.—Life.

Baseball at a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 1
Cincinnati 7, Chicago 4

Standing of the Clubs.			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	8	2	.760
St. Louis	8	3	.727
Boston	5	1	.833
Chicago	5	5	.500
Cincinnati	6	6	.500
Philadelphia	3	5	.375
Pittsburgh	3	9	.250
Brooklyn	2	6	.250

Today's Schedule.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis
Chicago at Cincinnati

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Cleveland 4, Detroit 3
Chicago 3, St. Louis 2

Standing of the Clubs.			
	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	8	2	.800
Boston	6	2	.750
New York	4	3	.571
Cleveland	5	5	.500
St. Louis	4	6	.400
Washington	3	5	.375
Philadelphia	3	6	.333
Detroit	3	7	.300

Today's Schedule.
New York at Boston
Philadelphia at Washington

The Wild Pigeon Mystery.

That the wild pigeon, once so com -
mon in the United States, has become
extinct is one of the strangest mys -
teries in American natural history. It is
a puzzle which has baffled scientists and
which probably never will be solved.
Half a century ago wild pigeons were
abundant in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indi -
ana, Kentucky and all the states of the
middle west. In their migrations they
traveled in flocks numbering tens of
thousands and it sometimes took a sin -
gle flock the better part of an hour to
pass a given point. Vast numbers of
the pigeons were killed every year by
gunners, but many investigators hold
that the complete disappearance of the
species must have been due, in part at
least to other causes. No other bird
was ever so numerous in this country
as the pigeon.

The Use of Candy.

Pure candy is good for children. Pure
sugar is good for grown people. Of
course there are exceptions to every
rule. If the doctor prescribes a diet
and orders a patient to refrain from
sweets the patient is bound to obey
his adviser. What is the use of calling
a physician and paying him for sug -
gestions if the latter are treated with
indifference? People in ordinary health
need not be afraid to gratify an ap -
petite which craves sweets. Those who
have looked into the matter have been
telling us lately that soldiers on the
march hold out better if they have
rations of sugar than if their food
omits this useful commodity. A fond -
ness for sugar is often a defense
against the temptation to use alcoholic
stimulants. The laetidine does not care
very much about pure sweets.

Hardly

Lawyer—Did you see what passed
between the two men during the af -
fay? Witness—No, sir. Lawyer—
But you were present weren't you?
Witness—Yes, sir but my eyes are not
quick enough to follow a bullet.—Bos -
ton Transcript

Sore Throat or Mouth.

You must keep the throat and mouth
clean and healthy. Any disease that
attacks the canal through which must
pass the food we eat, the beverages we
drink and the very air we breathe is a
serious matter. Why neglect Sore
Throat or Sore Mouth when TONSILINE
may be so easy for you to get relief?
TONSILINE is the remedy spec -
ially prepared for that purpose.
TONSILINE does its full duty—
you can depend upon it. Keep a
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LITTLE TALKS ON THRIFT

By S. W. STRAUS
President American Society for Thrift



The women of America can wield a powerful patriotic influence in the present crisis. War and waste make all the more necessary the practice of thrift. The housewife largely controls, the home budget and expenditures, and the women of the United States can save millions of dollars for the common good. We are wasting \$700,000,000 a year in our kitchens alone.

In England and Germany not a foot of ground is going to waste. In Austria-Hungary and Italy, too, the conditions are much the same. Thrift comes as the stern necessity of war and in this respect the women of the United States will play a more important part than will the men.

Our neighbor, Canada, has learned in the stress of war time ways of thrift of utilizing and conserving every resource and of renouncing its little luxuries cheerfully, that will not be forgotten through generations of peace and prosperity.

Women throughout the Dominion are wearing their old gowns, so that the styles of 1914 are better than the more recent fashions. They are learning how to cook and buy more economically. And this matter of cooking and buying is

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Whatever may be the form of the coming UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOAN, we feel certain that for patriotic reasons, if for no other, you will wish to be among the first to subscribe.

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READ THE COURIER.

By C. A. Volgh

PETEY DINK—Why Didn't He Make a Few Signs?



Stirring Stories of the Sea

The Submarine

One of Morgan Robertson's
Best Yarns About the
Subconscious Finnegan

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"Russian scout boat," he remarked to the deck, then turned his glasses elsewhere on the smooth waters of the strait, where might appear some traces of his lost boat or his men. Late in the afternoon, when the tide had turned and raised its unassuming strength, he called attention to something that glistened in the sun far over toward the other shore, and soon after he pointed out another such object just behind it, then another, farther out in the stream, then a fourth, far to the rear of them all.

"Torpedoes!" he called to the bridge beneath. "They're shot them out to lighten her."

He turned his glass around for a moment, then halted again, "Man overboard!" and pointed dead ahead. Bronson came down to the bridge.

The man could be seen with the naked eye—a swarthy, bearded fellow, who swam remarkably high out of water. But Bronson, after another inspection, stopped the comment on this by the quiet remark, "He's not swimming at all. He's riding a torpedo."

Look out for it, gentlemen, for you'll find the safety gear unswerving from the detonator. That's my engineer."

Whitehead torpedoes, being standardized, are valuable to any craft carrying tubes, and boats were sent to bring them in, one of which brought also the bearded Russian engineer, Mr. Bronson translated his story.

"It was the quartermaster," he said, "who reached up and moved the starting switch in the conning tower. He easily surmised by my talking in a language strange to Finnegan that we were captured."

"But did anybody drown?" asked Mr. Clarkson eagerly. "Where's Finnegan? How did that man get out?"

"Some auster have drowned," went on Bronson gravely. "The quartermaster shot Finnegan out of the way and closed the hatch, and then she was bumping along the bottom, unable to rise even by her own motion against the diving rudder—hard up. They shot out the torpedoes, but still she would not rise. Then they drew lots and elected themselves one by one."

"The quartermaster swam to a torpedo and was rescued by that scout boat, but the rest must have drowned, for the engineer did not see them."

"But who remained behind?" asked Mr. Clarkson. "Who drew the fatal number?"

"Finnegan."

"Poor old Finnegan!" groaned the executive officer. "Done for at last! He has saved thousands of lives when drunk and now must die sober and instructed, to save a half dozen enemies."

"The green colored mentally throughout the ship, and men went to their staterooms that night praying for the soul of the gentle and ridiculous old man they had loved."

But at daylight there were other things to think of. Sharp firing was heard, and there staggered around the headland below a large merchant built steamer with huge devices fitted to such mast a few small, quick fire guns mounted in high places and backing as she came, the white naval ensign.

sign of Britain flying from each mast and gun and a volume of smoke belching upward from multiple.

She was alive, and she was perceptibly down by the head, proving that at least one compartment was afloat.

"The mother ship, lieutenant," explained the captain as Bronson appeared on the bridge. "She carries out five submarines and a handful of Whiteheads. Your friends are after her."

"And after you, too, captain," answered Bronson. "Look there." He pointed to the upper part of the strait, where, far out over the gray sea, were two gray specks from each of which, even as they looked, came a plink of flame. "That scout boat has reported you."

"And you, too, lieutenant," answered the captain firmly. "She rescued one of your men. What will happen to you for losing that boat?"

"The salt mines of Siberia for me," answered Bronson. "I am pondering on the ethics of desertion."

The captain glanced inquiringly at him, then said, "I will release you from parole if you wish."

"Thank you, sir. I accept the release officially, but will always maintain it personally between you and myself. But I am still pondering. I cannot desert yet. Please put me in irons."

The captain smiled. "No," he said. "You cannot escape."

Being a prisoner no longer under parole, Bronson left the bridge, and by this time two fountains of water had arisen on the smooth waters of the strait, perilously near to the Argyl, proving that the men behind those twinkles of flame had the range.

Then two booming reports came over the sea, but the Argyl remained at anchor and waited.

The submarine from behind the headland below had not ceased, and soon appeared, three miles out, however—the scout boat of the day before. She passed slowly across the opening, firing at the mother ship, but maintaining a safe distance. Then a third torpedoed, high sided, armored cruiser appeared in view, then a short, bulky battleship and another smaller cruiser.

All directed their fire at the reeling mother ship, coming on in her smoke, her crew working at the heavy forward crane.

"Only three submarines on her deck," remarked the captain as he viewed her through his glass. "She has left two of them somewhere. I wonder if they're near by."

And now the two ships coming on from above, battleships evidently, changed their fire from the Argyl to the other, and their range finders were good, and their aim was good, and the shells that they sent were heavy, and when one lifted a shower of water over the whole slanting deck of the mother ship the Argyl acted.

She was caught in a trap, but that unarmored, unprotected mother with her five small ducklings needed her care, and, lifting her anchor, she steamed out to meet her, the secondary battery silent the while, but the after turret guns belching at the two ships as soon as the forward ones at the battleship, the two cruisers and the scout.

And her range was good and her range finding excellent, and the shells she sent so much heavier than those sent at her that with a little more time she might have saved that distracted mother, for the two cruisers and the scout withdrew from encirclement as fast as their horsepower would admit.

But the battleship remained broadside to the target, flame, smoke and pointed steel coming from her turrets, and every fountain of water raised by these pointed steel shells closer to the reeling mother ship than the last, until finally one struck her in the stern and raked through her length. She separated into fragments.

It was not an instantaneous explosion. Beginning at the stern, she seemed to split in two, while a line of rising flame and smoke traveled forward. Then the two sides disintegrated and sank. The masts leaned over forward, the other aft—and fell. A clear shaped submarine boat swung high at the forward derrick went higher in air and fell into the turret, beneath which two others, lifted side-wise from the shattered halves of the hull, whirled and over and fell into the sea.

Up and out from this riot of destructive forces came a huge expanding cloud of black and yellow smoke, while over the sea, echoing and reverberating against the wooded shores of the strait, went a crashing continuity of sound as of a repeated drum call of artillery.

Whitened in the hold had exploded separately, and when the cloud had thinned there was nothing left of the mother ship but a few floating fragments of wood and shrapnel for one instant before it sank, the round conning tower of a single submarine.

And now the Argyl received the guidance of the three ships, one but a mile below her, the other two, breast to breast, could down the strait. The cruisers and the scout boat were still going. They seemed to be agitated, smoking hard from their funnels and firing numerous small flags in different combinations. The battleship they had deserted, though weaker than the Argyl, steamed boldly into the strait, and as she was already close enough, the latter stopped her engines and drifted with the tide. Then the two ships above slowed down, and the Argyl in the center, there ensued one of the hammer and tongs, give and take conflicts from which the big English battleship had ever emerged victorious, because no shell was made that could penetrate her eighteen inch armor and no armor that could withstand her thirteen inch shells.

Bronson, gloomy of face, appeared in the conning tower where the Argyl's commanding captain and his aids had taken refuge from the storm of steel. He waited until the captain had withdrawn his eyes from a peephole, then said:

"Your master-at-arms will not condescend, captain."

"Are you still pondering on the ethics of desertion?" asked the captain, again glancing his eye to a peephole.

"The probable is unsolvable," said Bronson. "If the ethics of desertion of Russia I should be fighting against you; by the laws of nature and blood I should be with you. There are penalties for violation of law."

"What do you want?" asked the captain, without looking around.

"I notice that your fighting top batteries are silent."

"The captain paid no more attention to him, and Bronson climbed the ladder that led up the mast to the tower top. It is an axiom in the world's navies that no man may live through an action in a fighting top, and Bronson, aloft with the dead, could not but have been impressed by the sight of the full of the lower Russian ship's foremasts, tops, guns, dead men and living, and the small signal yard to which, even as the mast crashed down, small flags were ascending. But the ship went on, a man now exposed on her forward bridge waving a wigwag

back and forth until abreast of the Argyl.

And now, though her heavy shells still came toward the big, invulnerable Englishman, it was noticeable that her whole secondary battery of quick fire and machine guns was directed astern at something which only Bronson, high in air with a pair of service binoculars, could make out.

"A submarine!" he called. "They're running away from it! Now it has dived!"

Gundre on the upper ships suddenly ceased, and the Argyl's captain and aids came out of their refuge to see these two, with a furious turmoil of water at their sterns, backing and turning in their lengths. The wigwag had told the news.

"There it is again!" shouted Bronson excitedly. "It's up for a peep around. Now it's under again!"

Professional excitement and enthusiasm are excusable, even when aroused over the performance of an enemy. Bronson, who had gone aloft to die, had a new interest in life.

"The mother boat must have dropped one somewhere," said the captain, "or else it's the one they had hoisted when she blew up. Just in time too," he added calmly as a crash sounded and a quiver went through the ship, while a cloud of smoke and splinters went up from the stern.

A shell from the lower ship had struck.

"Steering gone, sir!" called a quartermaster from within the conning tower.

"Thought so," remarked the captain. "We're lit in our weak spot. We're helpless, but praise God for that submarine! Look at them go!"

The two backing and turning Russians had straightened around. The

other, still waving the wigwag from her bridge, had passed them and was leading the second Russian. Behind was an occasional glimpse of a small, circular conning tower, which appeared to only an instant and then dived.

The big, helpless ship swung slowly around, steering, after a manner, with her twin screws, but helpless to maneuver. Yet her batteries were intact, and she continued her hammering fire on the fleeing ships. The submarine's conning tower now seemed to be approaching the Argyl, which had swung end on to it. Then it dived again.

"She's coming," said the captain. "I wonder if she fired a torpedo."

"Don't think she got near enough, sir," answered one of the lieutenants. "But consider the moral effect of these boats, captain. She frightened away the scout boat and the cruisers. They went away all right."

"Yes, one such boat is worth a whole fleet until fighting begins. She has frightened them all away. Here she is again!"

The small conning tower again arose, a hundred yards ahead.

"Ship ahoy!" yelled a man standing knee deep in the water under the ship. "Why're you run away from? Hey, you brown bound scoundrel! You're a coward! A scoundrel! You're out of this contraption! D'ye hear me, blast your eyes!"

"Finnegan!" yelled a chorus of voices from gunports and apertures, and the beloved name went through the ship. He began dancing about in the water, shaking his fist and reviling his officers profanely and unkindly and rebuking them for their heartlessness in running away. Then the captain spoke.

"He's drunk," he said, an expression of awe and wonder on his smoke stained countenance, "and still an instrument of Providence. But how did he raise that boat alone, and how did he get drunk?"

As the small submarine boat came abreast men on the main deck went over after Finnegan. Telling and singing joyous songs, they pulled the profane and abusive old man off into deep water and held him up, finding him at last an inert and lifeless load on their hands. Then a howl was lowered, and he was pulled aboard.

But in the confusion in the water no one had noticed that one man had climbed up the submerged deck of the submarine, floundered along to the lower and entered it. It was only when the noise of the hatch snapping down came to their ears and they saw the small conning tower disappear before their eyes that they suspected what had entered the boat.

But as to how Finnegan had raised the boat they did not learn from him. He knew nothing about it, he insisted, when the surgeon had revived him. Months later the explanation came in a letter, part of which the captain read to his officers.

"I was released from parole, you remember," said the letter, "and took a chance that Finnegan had wandered; that all five torpedoes going out did not lighten her enough, but five men, nearly a thousand pounds more, going out did the business, and she must have floated up with Finnegan."

"He only had to start the motor, but the water wash in her destroyed her trim. That is why she dived so often. He turned on the oxygen too, and I nearly suffocated before I got things straight."

"Oxygen," murmured the surgeon. "That's what made him drunk."

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TO THE SPUD

O thou plant of rising value,
Once considered so plebeian,
Staple of the plain fare dinner,
Food for men of brawn and muscle,
But now, by thy intellectual
Now art thou more rare than diamonds,
Precious more than pearls and rubies,
Men are hurrying automobiles,
Ay, to thou shalt be a motor,
For a lot of thee in barrels.

No one now will judge a man's
By his lace and his buttons on being
By its handsome marble statues,
By its stonings and old masters,
By its shining grand pianos,
Look with unconcerned eye
On the ones who have these cornered.

Lo, we bend and bow before thee,
High exalted above our reaching,
Jewel of the modern market;
And all men come paying homage
To thee, spud once meek and lowly,
O thou lordly, proud potato, proud potato!

—Josh Wink in Baltimore American

Conducts Neutral to the "Near War" Zone—They Solemnly Put on Gas Masks and Steel Helmets and Think They're on the Firing Line—Every Airplane Considered a Traitor.

How parties of "distinguished" nature, usually Americans, are "taken to the front" was told recently in a Paris cafe which the "war correspondents" frequent.

You've no idea how many people, when asked what they are doing on being taken to the front," said the officer who was explaining that it was his official duty to "guide" these parties.

"There are men and women who come over here and explain that they have been saving shirts for soldiers or collecting pennies for polio for a long time and feel that in order to continue carrying on their work properly they should see war waged at first hand, so that they could describe it at home, you know."

"Well, we have several different places where we take these parties. One is on the old battlefield of the Champagne offensive of the fall of 1915, and more recently we have used the ruins of the city of Verdun, the Somme sector. Then up in the Vosges we have a spot where the fighting line today is several miles in front of where it once was."

"As safe as Chicago."

"There are always plenty of troops behind the lines all along the front, so that the old trenches never have the appearance of being deserted. And they look a little battered, too, as we do not bother to repair them or to clear them of the former usually refuse to the actual fighting positions."

"We take our sightseers out to a rail head behind the lines and whiff them furiously for thirty or forty miles in army motorcars and then stop somewhere in a spot about as safe as Chicago. There we hand out gas masks to the ladies and gentlemen, although they usually refuse to put them on because it disarranges their hair, and we have to promise to warn them when a gas attack is signalled."

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WANTS THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO UNDERGO REVISION

Whitaker Bill Would Have Proposition Submitted to Vote of the People.

WOULD COST HALF MILLION

Third Class City Legislation Is Still Pending in Committee. Women Suffrage Leaders Charge Members Broke Promises on Amendment.

Special to The Courier. HARRISBURG, April 22.—Just about the biggest proposition dumped into the present legislature is the Whitaker bill, which provides for a constitutional convention. The measure provides that the question of whether or not there shall be a convention shall be submitted to the people at the fall election at which time delegates shall also be elected. Two delegates from each senatorial convention is the basis of representation. The bill empowers the governor to name 15 delegates at large, who, as soon as the constitutional convention is authorized would meet for the purpose of preparing a draft of a suggested constitution. The regular convention would fix the time for the election at which the people would pass upon the constitution adopted by the convention. The general appropriation for the convention is half a million dollars.

Third class city legislation is still pending in committee. There are two general measures pending. One embodies a number of administrative changes in the Clark act. The other is the Beldeman bill, which repeals the Clark act and provides for a council composed of one member from every ward and for a mayor with a veto. House and Senate have passed a bill providing for civil service in third class city departments. The bill, which raised the pay of all election officers from \$5 to \$10 a day, and which passed the Senate that day, has been amended in the House so as to provide that it applies only to first and second class cities.

The defeat of the Whitaker amendment providing for women's suffrage, the defeat of the Tompkins bill providing for the abolition of capital punishment, and the failure of the state administration to secure action on the proposition to appropriate \$2,000,000 for defense purposes were the outstanding features of the week in the legislature.

The suffrage amendment received 101 votes, three short of a constitutional majority. Representatives Brumbaugh, Blair, Chestnut of Fulton, and McVey of Allegheny, all of whom were pledged to the measure, were absent, sickness being advanced as the reason.

Mrs. Miller, chairman of the legislative committee of the Women's Suffrage Party, announced before the vote that they had pledged from 116 members, and following the defeat of the amendment issued a sharp statement in which she denounced the alleged pledge breakers.

Immediately following the defeat of the amendment, the suffrage leaders began scouring around for the purpose of securing enough votes to permit them to force a reconsideration. The opponents of suffrage held a brief conference and decided that they would move the reconsideration, defeat the proposition, and thus dispose of the measure for the present session. Representative Flynn of Elk county, an opponent of the amendment, moved that the vote by which the measure had been defeated be reconsidered. He stated that he was heartily tired of the suffrage question and that the sooner the House defeated a motion to reconsider the better it would be. On the motion to reconsider the suffragists were badly defeated, losing more than 200 votes.

The measure to abolish capital punishment was only able to poll 97 votes in the House. It had previously passed the Senate. The opposition was based upon the claim that just now was a very inopportune time to abolish the death penalty, as it was needed to deter possible plotters whose activities might be stimulated by the state of war that exists. A number of members also stated that while they could not conscientiously vote for the bill abolishing the death penalty they would support the Whitaker bill which would permit justice to determine whether the punishment in each particular murder case should be life imprisonment or death.

The controversy over the two million dollar appropriation for preparation of a new constitution this week has been whether or not the governor, as commander in chief of the national guard, and a chief executive of the commonwealth should be given the power to handle the fund at his discretion. The anti-administration senators insisted upon providing for a board composed of at least the governor, the auditor general, the state treasurer, E. T. Stoenbury, the Philadelphia banker, A. W. Mellon, a Pittsburgh banker, and W. W. Attebury, first vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad. This bill, it is said, fails to meet the approval of the governor, who takes the view that the anti-administration leaders in the Senate are attempting to take advantage of a preparedness move to play personal politics. The bill is on the second reading calendar in both House and Senate.

The suffrage leaders, it would appear, are far from willing to concede that their cause is wholly lost. They resent the steps taken by their enemies to force a hasty consideration for the purpose of defeating their cause. They also assert that the legislature is the state's highest interest. They have announced that they will keep up their fight and that there will be introduced into the present legislature a presidential suffrage bill, which if passed would permit them to vote for President, United States senator and congressmen. No constitutional amendment is necessary in order to enable women to vote in a federal election. It is the Pennsylvania state constitution that provides that "only male citizens 21 years of age" shall be permitted to vote. If the women introduce their presidential election bill there will be a sharp contest, both sides presenting claims and charges that have been made during the contest.

With the local option bill out of the way, having been decisively defeated in the House, the general proposition was that there would hardly be any serious liquor legislation proposed during this session. War conditions, however, made some change in sentiment. There is now a pronounced movement to revive the Mitchell bill providing for statutory prohibition which has been slumbering in committee for a number of weeks. It amends it so as to provide for prohibition during the duration of war. There will probably be a hearing on the Mitchell bill. It is argued that the distilleries and breweries should be closed down during the war as an economic proposition, the gain being turned for food.

There is one other liquor measure on this side leading in the House that is attracting considerable attention. It is the Leich bill and provides that judges must file reasons when they refuse a license, thus making it possible to appeal to the superior court. The bill would also compensate liquor dealers refused a license for the loss of their license.

FAYETTE MAN'S TROUBLE FOUND BY NERV-WORTH

One Bottle of This Wonderful Tonic Knocked Joe Dugan's Ailments Out.

That proves how swiftly this famous family remedy does its work, for you'll find by the following signed statement that Mr. Dugan's bodily ills were no light affair:

Connellsville Drug Co.—I have been sick for over two months. Had stomach trouble. Tired nearly all night. Couldn't sleep. No appetite. I didn't feel like eating my breakfast. I worked about half the time. I have taken one bottle of Nerv-Worth. Things are different. I'm beginning to feel more like myself again. Cough is better. Appetite coming back. I feel like going to work in the morning. I feel Nerv-Worth has found my trouble and I recommend the medicine.

JOE DUGAN
Fayette (Five miles from Connellsville, Pa.)

This statement is not only exceedingly convincing in the proofs it gives of Nerv-Worth merits but it has the maker's name signed which by the way is a characteristic of Nerv-Worth endorsements, a trait which has had a great deal to do with the tonic's wonderful sales wherever introduced.

Talk with Demonstrator Gels at the Connellsville Drug Co's store about your ailments. His Nerv-Worth experience is valuable and extensive. Learn what Nerv-Worth looks and tastes like. He freely dispenses sample doses. Buy and try a bottle of the tonic. Your dollar back if it does not help you.—Adv.

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PECHIN, April 22.—Miss Bessie Martin of Keffers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin, recently was married to Harry Dean of Uniontown. They are now staying at the home of the bride's parents.

SOISSON THEATRE

CHILDREN "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" ADULTS
5 TO-DAY 10
Clifford Gray and Margaret Landis
Are Featured in the Four Reel Fortune Photoplay
"THE INSPIRATIONS OF HARRY LARSEN"
"THE DEATH WARRANT"
The Sixth Episode of the Thrilling Serial
"THE VOICE ON THE WIRE"
Featuring Ben Wilson and Nora Geibler, Bullies Standby Toward the Climax
A Good Comedy Will Also Be Shown.

—Tomorrow—
SHIRLEY MASON
Appears in the Five Reel Kleine-Edison Drama
"THE LAW OF THE NORTH"
It is an Interesting Story of the Mounted Police and the Canadian Northwest
WEDNESDAY—DAINTY VIOLLET MURDERER APPEARS IN
"SUSAN'S GENTLEMAN."

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

TODAY
The Home of the Pipe Organ.

A SOUL-STIRRING STORY OF A WIFE'S SACRIFICE IS
"THE MORTAL SIN"
A FIVE ACT WONDERPIECE OF RARE POWER, WITH VIOLA DANA AS THE STAR
ALSO, FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN AND BEVERLY BAYNE IN "THE GREAT SECRET," CHAPTER 15.

"THE TEST OF DEATH"
IN TWO ACTS.

—Tomorrow—
JESSE L. LASKY PRESENTS MARIE DORO IN
"CASTLES FOR TWO"
A ROMANCE OF OLD IRELAND AND AMERICA, IN FIVE ACTS
—Also—
Paramount Burton Holmes' Travelogue.

Orpheum Theatre, TODAY

Eddie Polo and Claire McDowell
Appear in the Five Reel Reel Feather Photoplay
"THE BRONZE BRIDE."
MAURICE COSTELLO
Is Featured in the Two Reel Metro Serial
"THE CRIMSON STAIN MYSTERY," NO. 8.

—Tomorrow—
FLORENCE LABADIE
—IN—
"HER LIFE AND HIS"
A Five-Part Pathe Gold Rooster Drama
ALSO, MAX LINDER IN THE PATHE COMEDY
"MAX'S DIFFICULT POSITION."

the Semt Solvay just north of the furnace.

Mrs. Wessabaugh Provance and son Linley, of Keffers, were transacting business at Mount Braddock Thursday.

Mrs. Arthur Kennedy Mrs. J. Givens, and Mrs. Charles Miller of Hiram, were at Connellsville transacting business recently.

William Johnson of Polo Cat was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Cole of Keffers station this week.

Mrs. Ray Fowler and son, Richard, of Ferguson, were at Connellsville shopping Thursday.

Mrs. John Nehls of Pechin hill was visiting her mother at Fairbairn last week. She was also visiting her brother George of Uniontown.

Mrs. H. David of Pechin hill, was visiting her mother at Mount Braddock Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Baker, Miss Marguerite Cochran, Miss Lucy Scott, Thelma Call, Gladis Miller, Miss Eleanor Senor, and Philip McClain of Pechin vicinity, were attending the literary contest of the Leisenbians and the Ficksonians of the Dunbar township high school at Leisenburg Friday night.

Mrs. H. P. Snyder and Mrs. Corinne Borland, the latter of McKeesport, left last night for New York and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton and daughter of Scottsdale and Mrs. A. F. Cotton and sons, Irwin and Earl of Dawson, motored to the house of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClaren at Poplar Grove last evening.

F. D. Munson, W. O. Adrian and W. P. Sherman motored to the home of Mr. Adrian's parents near Steubenville, O., over the weekend.

Mrs. C. E. DeMuth and daughter Eleanor spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hightberger at Greensburg.

"The Mysterious Woman" was put off the train between Scottsdale and Connellsville.—Adv.

Miss Freda Schnatterly of near Uniontown, spent yesterday with her grandmother, Mrs. Lillian West, and aunt, Mrs. Clark Kent of Wheeling.

John Shea of New Kensington formerly manager of the Woolworth five and ten cent store, spent yesterday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jarrett of Scottsdale were guests yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kincaid in Eighth street, Greenwood.

Clarence Hoop of Homestead, was the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop of Greenwood over Sunday.

Miss Florence Butterfield, a student at the Indiana State Normal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Butterfield of East Crawford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler and little son Charles are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Calhoun at Evanson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Mestriat visited friends in Uniontown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dugan, Sr., of the West Side, were Uniontown visitors yesterday.

Miss Zola Wessabaugh of Republic, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. D. Jones.

Roy Rhodes returned to Detroit, Mich., Saturday night after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rhodes of Greenwood. He has recovered from an operation performed at the Cottage State Hospital.

Dull, lifeless eyes, colorless lips, yellow cheeks give a girl little chance for a "max" these days. Don't lose heart, just take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Don't delay—surprise yourself and friends. 35c Connellsville Drug Company.—Adv.

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